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Containing the freſheſt Advices, both Foreign and Domeſtic.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1770.

BOSTON, AUGUST 13.

TUESDAY 31ſt of July paſt P. M. the Trade and Inhabitants of the Town of Boſton, met according to Adjournment at Faneuil-Hall, and in Conſequence of ſome very poſitive Aſſertions that Salem, Marblehead, and Newbury, had departed from the Non-Importation Agreement, Meſſrs. William Molineux, William Philips, Eſq; William Cooper, Ebenezer Storer, and William Greenleaf, were voted a Committee to repair forthwith to the Towns aforeſaid, and Haverhill, to enquire into the Foundation of ſaid Aſſertion, and make report. After which John Hancock and William Philips, Eſquires, Meſſrs. Adams, Molineux, and Greenleaf, Doctors Warren and Young, John Adams, Joſiah Quincy, and Richard Dana, Eſquires, Mr. Henderſon Inches, Thomas Cuſhing, Eſq; and Mr. Jonathan Maſon, were voted a Committee to conſider what may be proper to be done towards ſtrengthening the Union of the Colonies, and affecting the ſalutary Deſign this Body had in View in coming into the Agreement for a Non-Importation, and the Meeting was adjourned to Tueſday the 7th Current, 10 o'Clock A. M.---At which Time the Committee ſent to Salem, Marblehead, &c. reported that the Conduct of our Brethren in ſaid Towns was honourable and ſincere; whereupon it was *Voted unanimouſly*, That it is with the utmoſt Satisfaction we have Reaſon to be aſſured, that the Trade and Inhabitants of the ſeveral Towns above-mentioned have religiouſly and ſtedfaſtly adhered to their Agreement, and have conducted themſelves with the Firmneſs and Integrity, which juſtly renders them an Example worthy of Imitation; and that the Committee of Merchants in this Place, in Teſtimony of the ſincere Reſpect which we owe to the Inhabitants of the ſaid Towns, not only for their paſt Efforts, but for the Reſolution they ſtill maintain to continue their utmoſt Exertions in the common Cauſe of American Liberty, to tranſmit them reſpectively a Copy of this Vote.

In the Afternoon it was *Voted unanimouſly*, That the Names of all ſuch as refuſe re-ſhipping their Goods be advertiſed in the Monday's Papers, except Perſons who are at ſuch Diſtance as they cannot be appriſed of this Reſolution, and that Notice hereof be given in the Thurſday's Papers. Alſo *Voted unanimouſly*, That the Thanks of the Body be given to the ſeveral Committees, for the diligent and faithful Diſcharge of their Duty----and that this Body do ſtrictly adhere to their former Reſolution relative to the Support of the ſaid Committees, and that we now engage to ſtand by, and defend them in the Execution of their Truſts, and every Endeavour to anſwer the Intention of their Appointments.

Then Meſſrs. William Molineux, William Cooper, Thomas Boyliſton, William Whitwell, and Jonathan Maſon, were voted a Committee to repair to Providence and Newport in Rhode-Iſland, to confer with our Brethren in that Colony on the Neceſſity of maintaining the Agreement inviolate.

After this the Meeting was diſſolved.

At the Opening of this Meeting, ſeveral Letters from our worthy Brethren of Connecticut were read, and noticed with the Regard, which good Senſe and public Spirit invariably inſpire.

PORTSMOUTH, *(in New-Hampſhire)* AUGUST 17.

Laſt Week was married in this Town, by the Reverend Dr. Haven, Mr. John Fleeming, of Boſton, Printer, to Miſs Alice Church, Daughter of Mr. Benjamin Church, of the ſame Place, Merchant,---an agreeable young Lady, adorned with the Qualifications requiſite to render that honourable State happy.

NEW-YORK, JULY 12.

A Letter from a Gentleman in Virginia.

SIR, Virginia, June 30th, 1770.

OUR General Aſſembly which met, by adjournment, upon the 21ſt of May, is juſt broke up. The only queſtion, in which the intereſt of the colonies in general was concerned, came on before the Houſe of Burgeſſes, on the 23d day of this month, upon his Excellency our Governor's communicating to the Houſe the famous Acts of Parliament, for repealing the duties upon Glaſs, Painters Colours, and Paper of Britiſh manufacture. If he expected this Act would produce any conciliating effects, he was greatly miſtaken; for the principles upon which it was founded, appeared ſo derogatory to the rights of American Liberty, that the Houſe was inflamed with reſentment, ſpurned at the pretended favour, and *unanimouſly* voted a petition to the King, aſſerting their Rights, agreeable to their former addreſſes, repreſentations, and remonſtrances. They did not expect this petition would produce any alteration in the conduct of the Britiſh Miniſtry; but, they intended it, as their proteſtation, never to ſubmit ſilently to the power of the Parliament to tax the colonies. This was all the Aſſembly thought proper to do, upon this important point, in their legiſlative character; but as private gentlemen, they renewed and enforced their former aſſociation againſt the importation of goods from Great-Britain. In this aſſociation they were joined by a conſiderable body of Merchants, who were at that time in Williamſburg; and I doubt not the aſſociation will, in a very few weeks, become univerſal throughout the colony.

A determined ſpirit of oppoſition to the power of the Britiſh Parliament to tax the colonies, prevails among all ranks of people, except a very few Crown Officers. The new aſſociation is diſperſed through the ſeveral counties, and is ſigning very faſt. Committees in the neceſſary parts of the country are appointed to inſpect the imports, and to exert every conſtitutional meaſure to prevent vending any article contrary to the aſſociation; thoſe who do not adhere to, or who tranſgreſs the terms of it, will be deemed enemies to American Liberty: their names will be made public; their companies avoided; and every ſtigma fixed upon them to make them deſpicable.

But this is not all, the principal gentlemen in the ſeveral counties, are preparing to open ſubſcriptions for eſtabliſhing manufactures in their counties; which will, in a very ſhort time make it unneceſſary to import a ſingle uſeful article of life from Great-Britain. Nay, it is much talked of, to withhold our exports from Great-Britain; and even to relinquiſh the cultivation of tobacco, and turn our whole force to the improvement of our flocks, herds, and manufactures; which, though we may hereby not receive ſo large an annual income from our eſtates, will render us happy, and be a ſure means of preſerving our liberty, which to us is of much higher value than riches. In ſhort, the conduct of the Miniſtry has opened our eyes; we now ſee that we can live within ourſelves; that our preſent wants may be ſupplied, by importing only a few articles from Great-Britain; and that in a very ſhort time, we can live without them. Luxury and diſſipation are quite baniſhed from amongſt us; frugality and induſtry are univerſally prevailing. The whirling of our ſpinning-wheels afford us the moſt delightful muſic; and that man is the moſt reſpected who appears clad in homeſpun, as ſuch a dreſs is a ſure evidence of love to his country.

When I take a ſurvey of the ſurpriſing increaſe of manufactures among us, ſince the beginning of our diſpute with the Parliament, and the ſwift advances we are making in improvements of all ſorts of neceſſary cloathing and tools for agriculture, I conſider the Britiſh Miniſtry the beſt friends to the colonies. They, indeed, aimed at ſubverting our civil liberties; but in ſo doing they have pointed out to us the moſt effectual way to preſerve them: A way, which we are determined to purſue with unremitted perſeverance; and which no Cuſtom-Houſe Officers, no Judges of Vice-Admiralty Courts, no Statutes of Henry the 8th, nor even the fleets and armies of the kingdom can force us from.

Go then ye politicians who govern the Britiſh councils with ſuch wiſdom, as to make yourſelves the ridicule of all mankind, ---go on with declarations, that you will oblige America to lick the duſt from your feet,---go on and force the colonies to know their true intereſt, to learn inſtruction, and to improve their domeſtic felicity, by eſtabliſhing manufactures univerſally. This you have done already in a great meaſure, by the duties you have heretofore impoſed, and you will do it effectually by impoſing freſh duties upon their imports, and by continuing your preſent ſyſtem of colony adminiſtration. Such a conduct will, in the opinion of the coloniſts, exalt your characters and demonſtrate to the world, the wiſdom of your councils, which improve the manufactures of the colonies, to the impoveriſhment and deſtruction of your own tradeſmen.

JULY 23. *The following is a true copy of a letter ſent from the Committee of Merchants in Connecticut, to the Committee of Merchants in New-York, which the latter refuſed to publiſh.*

GENTLEMEN,

YOURS of the 16th, acknowledging the receipt of ours of the 6th; and a copy of yours of the 16th inſt. to the trade at Boſton, we received by your expreſs---the contents of which were equally ſurprizing to all we communicated them to; as to ourſelves, we confeſs ourſelves unhappy in ever differing from the ſentiments of our brethren embarked in the ſame cauſe, eſpecially from ſo reſpectable a number as the gentlemen merchants and inhabitants of New-York; yet we cannot but candidly make a few remarks on your ſaid incloſed propoſal, and give our ſentiments and the ſentiments of thoſe in trade, and others we have converſed with on the ſubject, which we depend you will receive with equal candor. As the propoſal you have been pleaſed to make to Boſton, and communicate to us ſeems to have originated from the ſenſe of the people of New-York, collected in conſequence of printed advertiſements firſt circulated,---give us leave to ſay we take the ſtate of this important affair to be ſome how very unhappily miſunderſtood, and repreſented in the advertiſement, that the partial repeal of the duties was never moved for, or conſidered as a conciliating meaſure with regard to the colonies, is evident to us from the public declaration of the Miniſtry in the Houſe of Commons; and the declared deſign and intent in leaving the duty on tea, unrepealed until another ſeſſion of parliament, ſpeaks too plainly to be (as we conceive) miſunderſtood. As to the determination againſt importing tea at all, until the duty is taken off, we cannot ſee the great utility of ſuch a reſolution, if your propoſal takes place, ſince ſuch a prohibition will never intereſt the honeſt labourers and manufacturers of Great-Britain in our favour; nor any ſet of men, ſave the Eaſt-India company, whoſe intereſt and that of the nation, are already almoſt incompatible. The giving up at this period will fully confirm the predictions of many in Great-Britain, concerning our ability for carrying out reſolutions through-----diſcourage our friends at home,----ſtrengthen an adminiſtration inimical to us already,----and forever fatally bar all future aſſociations on the continent, for any public purpoſe of the like nature. One word more on the ſubject,---if even when a whole continent were on the watch, Britiſh Goods (tho' totally and intirely excluded) have found their way undiſcovered in among us, in ſome inſtances,---what may we expect when the doors are thus widely laid open, and none appointed to be on the guard, as an individual article will not be of that importance in the eye of the public? One obſervation further on your letter immediately to us of Connecticut: You are pleaſed to ſay the ſentiments of your inhabitants are for embracing the preſent juncture as the moſt favourable we may perhaps ever have of making a decent and honourable retreat. As we never engaged in the matter but upon principle, as we are ſtill convinced of the juſtneſs of the cauſe, as great and extenſive ſucceſs has already attended our joint efforts, and entire ſettlement of every thing to our wiſhes is near at hand, we cannot think of a retreat in any ſenſe of the word as either decent or honourable. One of the firſt American characters now at the court of Great-Britain, in his letter of the 16th April, after relating the ſucceſs of Mr. Trecothick's motion for taking off the duty on tea had met with, ſays expreſsly, That had the Non-Importation agreement been as virtuouſly obſerved throughout America, as it had been in New-York, the whole of the Revenue Act would have been repealed this ſeſſion of Parliament; but, adds he, let us omit cenſure; the whole dependance of the miniſtry reſpecting America, is on the breach of this; which once broken, diſunites you forever. But, continues this worthy Patriot, the game is in your own hands, and I truſt there is virtue and ſkill enough in America, ſo as to play it to their advantage, as to ſettle the future liberties of America on a firm and laſting baſis; your All, in my opinion, depends on this. The above referred to letter is not now before us, but have had it read repeatedly in our hearing. The above you may rely on as part of a long letter almoſt wholly on the ſubject, a copy of which we propoſe ſending you when obtained; and we can but hope, when you calmly and impatiently reconſider the whole, with the almoſt infinite conſequence that attend it, you will be ſo candid as to withdraw your propoſal.

The univerſal conſternation the contents and purport of your expreſs gave the people of all ranks among us, is eaſier to be conceived than expreſſed; nor to be conceived but by thoſe who have been preſent at the news of ſome public misfortune firſt ſpreading.

Gentlemen, we eſteem, we reſpect you; yet muſt treat thus freely and ſincerely with you on the ſubject. Our direct importations have ever been ſmall, our conſumption large, (theſe Acts removed) increaſing we are but one amidſt a number of colonies, yet from the ſenſe of thoſe we have had the opportunity of conferring with, on the ſhort warning we have had, you may depend Connecticut will abide by their agreements, and will be ſo far from retreating, that we ſhall conſider it an honour to fall in ſo good a cauſe. We this day had a meeting of a conſiderable number of the traders, and others, upon the contents of yours; and we write you as the ſentiment of the meeting, we doubt not but that the trade of this colony will turn into another channel, if your merchants ſhould be the firſt to break the Non-Importation Agreement, which we doubt not will be the ſentiment of the town of Boſton.

Gentlemen, as this will be with you before your intelligence from Boſton and Philadelphia will come to hand; [when you propoſe taking the ſenſe of your inhabitants again) the gentlemen preſent, deſire you would publiſh to the people this letter before you take their ſentiments. The enemies to America, both at home and abroad, have at all times inſiſted that the Non-Importation Agreement was come into, and kept up by intereſted perſons, and for temporary views: This inſinuation has, we are credibly informed, done us ſenſible wrong; a relaxation at this time, and under our preſent circumſtances, we cannot but think will be to countenance this their report.

We are, Gentlemen,

Your moſt humble Servants,

MATTHEW TALCOTT, RICHARD ALSOP, SILAS DEANE,

Hartford, in Connecticut, May 19, 1770. [Committee.

To ISAAC LOW, Eſq; Chairman of the Committee of Merchants, in New-York.

AUGUST 9. Laſt Week Mr. Applegate and Mr. Abrahams, of this City, went to the City of Brunſwick, in New-Jerſey, having with them for Sale, a Quantity of Pine-Apples, Limes, &c. The People of Brunſwick finding them to be Subſcribers for Importation, treated them ſo roughly, that they judged it not Safe to appear publickly, and being unable to ſell their Fruit, a great Part of it ſpoiled upon their Hands; they were glad to get off privately to avoid the Effects of the People's Reſentment, ---which Mr. Abrahams was not ſo lucky as to eſcape at Woodbridge, on his Return, where he was much inſulted, and ducked in a Creek, and was likely to have been worſe uſed if he had not made his Eſcape. We hear that two City Merchants, Subſcribers for Importation, who a few Days ago ſet out on a Journey to Philadelphia, at Woodbridge were both heartily ducked,---but the Particulars we have not heard.

By a Gentleman that arrived here from Montreal Yeſterday, we learn, that on the 15th ult. a Fire broke out in that Place, which conſumed fifteen Houſes before it could be extinguiſhed.

AUGUST 13. On the 13th ult. Sir William Johnſon, Bart. attended by ſeveral Gentlemen, ſet out for the Upper Settlements beyond the German Flats, to meet the Six Nations Confederacy, and thoſe of Canada, with ſome Deputies from the Cherokees, on many important Affairs, particularly concerning a War propoſed by ſome of the Southern Indians to the Northern Nations. It is ſaid that a conſiderable Number of Indians are already aſſembled on that Occaſion.

By Letters of the 14th ult. from Detroit, we are informed, that a French Trader having been ſcalped by ſome Indians on an Iſland within 6 Miles of Michilimackinac, 30 of the principal Traders at that Poſt, both Engliſh and French, went in Canoes, landed on the Iſland, ſurrounded the Huts, fired upon the Indians, ſhot one of them in ſeveral Parts of his Body, and then tomahawk'd him till dead. This Affair, it is expected, will occaſion great Diſturbances in thoſe Parts.

Laſt Week two New-York Importers, in croſſing a Brook in New-Jerſey in their Way to Philadelphia, the Bridge ſunk under them, and they were both handſomely ducked.---How enormous muſt be the Guilt of thoſe who would betray the Liberties of the Public, to advance their private Fortunes, when even a public Bridge is not able to ſupport the Weight of their Iniquities! May this be the Fate of every Wretch who would ſell his Country for a Meſs of Pottage.

We hear from Connecticut, that the Tavern-keepers throughout that Colony, juſtly incenſed at the perfidious Conduct of the New-York Importers, have fixed up a Liſt of their Names in all their public Houſes, and have unanimouſly determined not to entertain or afford them the leaſt Succour, Aid or Aſſiſtance, in paſſing through that Government.---A Conduct this worthy of Imitation in all the other Colonies, as it will drive theſe ſelfiſh Wretches to the Neceſſity of either changing their Names, or wearing Knapſacks.

AUGUST 20. Thurſday laſt being the Anniverſary of the Birth Day of his Royal Highneſs Prince Frederick, an elegant Equeſtrian Statue of his preſent Majeſty was erected in the Bowling-Green, in this City, near Fort George. On this Occaſion, the Members of his Majeſty's Council, the City Corporation, the Corporation of the Chamber of Commerce, the Corporation of the Marine Society, and moſt of the Gentlemen of the City and Army, waited on his Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, in the Fort, at his Requeſt, where their Majeſty's and other loyal Healths were drank, under a Diſcharge of 32 Pieces of Cannon from the Battery, accompanied with a Band of Muſic. This beautiful Statue is made of Metal, richly gilt, being the firſt Equeſtrian One of his preſent Majeſty, and is the Workmanſhip of that celebrated Statuary, Mr. Wilton, of London. We hear, that in a few Days a Marble Pedeſtrian Statue of Mr. Pitt will be erected in Wall-ſtreet.

We hear that Stephen Skinner, Eſq; Treaſurer of the Eaſtern Diviſion of the Province of New-Jerſey, is appointed one of his Majeſty's Council for ſaid Province.

At a Meeting of the Gentlemen Merchants at Hartford, in Connecticut, the 4th Inſtant, it was reſolved, that they would withdraw all Commerce from the Inhabitant of New-York, unleſs they countermanded the Orders ſent to England for Goods; but another General Meeting was appointed the 9th following of the Landholders of the County.

Captain Marſey, from St. Lucar, informs us, That the Daniſh Fleet mentioned in our Laſt, lay at Gibraltar the 5th of June, and conſiſted of 4 Sloops of the Line, 2 Frigates, 2 Bombs, and 4 Tranſports with Troops, and that they were actually deſtined againſt Algiers, where it was imagined they would make an eaſy Conqueſt.

ELIZABETH-TOWN, *(in New-Jersey)* JULY 19.

AT a Meeting of a Number of reſpectable Freemen and Freeholders of the County of Eſſex, convened, by Advertiſements, at Elizabeth-Town, on the 16th of July, 1770, they entered into the following RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas the Merchants and Traders of the City of New-York, have lately thought proper, contrary to their own Agreement, and in Violation of their public Faith, to break through the only Meaſure that could have obtained a Redreſs of the Grievances complained of, as ſubverſive of the Liberties of North-America: We the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the County of Eſſex, in the Province of New-Jerſey, DO RESOLVE,

1ſt. That it is our unanimous Opinion, that the ſeveral Signers to the late Importation Agreement, in New-York, have baſely and perfidiouſly betrayed the common Cauſe, deſerted their Countrymen, in their united Struggles for a Removal of Miniſterial Oppreſſions, and violated their Faith, ſo often plighted to the Friends of Conſtitutional Liberty, both in Great-Britain and her Colonies.

2d. That every Perſon, who, contrary to the Non-Importation Agreement, hath or ſhall import, ought, by the Friends of their Country, to be treated not only in like Manner, as they themſelves ſet the Example, in the late Caſe of the Merchants and Traders of Newport, in the Colony of Rhode-Iſland, but be held in the utmoſt Contempt, by all the Friends of Liberty, and treated as Enemies to their Country.

3d. That we will ſtrictly adhere to our Reſolutions of the 5th of June laſt, as far as they relate to purchaſing Goods imported from Great-Britain.

They then proceeded to appoint a Committee of Correſpondence; who are alſo to do every other Act neceſſary for promoting and ſupporting the above Reſolutions.

NEW-BRUNSWICK, *(in New-Jerſey.)*

On this Auguſt, 1770, a reſpectable Number of the Freeholders, Freemen, Merchants, and Traders of this City, met at the Court-houſe, and after having conſidered the preſent dangerous and critical State of public Affairs in America, unanimouſly agreed to the following Reſolutions.

I. THAT the Non-Importation Agreement, which was generouſly and uniformly entered into, by the Merchants and Traders in the ſeveral Colonies, is the beſt and moſt reaſonable Scheme, that could have been fallen on to prevent the direful Effects of the Act of Parliament of 7th Geo. III. impoſing Duties on Tea, Paper, Glaſs, &c. calculated to enſlave this Country.

II. That preſerving ſaid Union and Agreement without the leaſt Infraction or Violation, is of the higheſt Conſequence to ſecure our Liberties from Miniſterial Invaſion, notwithſtanding the partial Repeal of that Act, which ſeems not to carry the Appearance of a real Intention to remove the Grievances complained of, and to continue to us the free Enjoyment of our natural Rights and Privileges.

III. That notwithſtanding our Hopes centered with the New-Yorkers, to make a noble Stand in this grand Concern, they have treacherouſly broke their Non-Importation Contract, and for their Part have diſſolved this Union,------whereby they have not only given a dangerous Wound to the common Cauſe of their Country, but have adminiſtered Joy, Comfort, and Strength to the grand Enemies of our Liberties.

IV. That as a Teſtimony of our Abhorrence of this deteſtable Breach of Faith, by a Party in New-York,---we, as an Individual, do agree to break off all commercial Intercourſe with them, when the Inhabitants of Eaſt-Jerſey in general, ſhall have adopted and agreed to this Meaſure, which, in Conjunction with our Brethren, we ſhall endeavour, by every Means in our Power, to promote and execute.

V. And laſtly, we do further agree and reſolve, that any Scheme or Plan already propoſed, or hereafter to be formed, properly calculated for our common Safety or commercial Intereſt, ſhall be duly attended to; and with reſpect to the propoſed Plan, publiſhed in Gaine's Paper of the 30th of July, and in the Philadelphia Chronicle of the ſame Day, for rendering Perth-Amboy a Place of Trade, it has our particular Suffrage, though at preſent partly ideal, or ſeemingly at a Diſtance, depending upon the Suffrage and Aid of other Colonies, yet when put in Practice, we ſhall join Heart and Hand to promote the ſame, not only by our Example and Perſwaſion, but by every other Act in our Power.

DIRCK VAN VECHTE, *Chairman.*

PHILADELPHIA, AUGUST 16.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman, on his Travels through England, dated London, May 29.

"I cannot conclude, notwithſtanding the Shortneſs of my Time, without ſaying ſomething of the manufacturing Towns, though which I have been. At Birmingham the Demand for Goods is ſuch, that they have raiſed their Prices. At Manchester Goods are very ſcarce, no Body having them on Hand there, but one Houſe, as the Manufacturers, even in the American Trade, deſpairing of its being opened, have ſold their Goods for other Markets, and want ſeveral Thouſand Weavers, who cannot be procured. At Halifax, and Leeds, where Goods are not only very ſcarce, but have advanced 15 per Cent. within theſe twelve Months, and difficult to be had, they ſay it would have been next to an Impoſſibility to ſupply American Orders, with thoſe they have executed already.------People in the American Trade have had little to do, but thoſe concerned to other Places have full Buſineſs; and I find no Place but Sheffield where Goods are to be procured merely at any Rate, where, it is ſaid, they can be had on better Terms than formerly."

Extract of a Letter from Manchester, June 2.

"The Winds have been contrary for a long Time, as ſoon as they come about we expect to hear your Reſolutions. Hitherto it has fallen out, unfortunately I think, to the future Proſperity, Concord and Liberties of Great-Britain and her Colonies, that your patriotic Reſolutions have been chiefly inconvenient to the beſt Friends of America. The People engaged in the Home Trade, the African Trade, and that to the Northern Parts of Europe, have had more than they could do.------All that was in the Power of the Friends of Liberty here to do, has been done, but the Torrent of Corruption was too ſtrong. Whether any Thing better is to be expected from the next year, is, I think, extremely doubtful."

Other Letters from England mention, that there was no News ſtirring, the Parliament being up; that the Citizens of London ſeemed a little more pacified; but that the People in general were diſſatisfied at the Duty being continued on Tea, and ſo little done in American Affairs.

Tranſlation of a Letter from a Gentleman in PARIS *to his Friend in*

PHILADELPHIA.

"We entertain every Day higher and higher Ideas of the Britiſh Colonies in America. We truſt you will continue your noble Struggle for Liberty, and that you will be the Means of exciting the Emulation of this old Continent, where every Thing is going to Ruin. The only Thing, in which I can ſerve you here, is to ſpread your Fame through this Part of the World; for moſt of your illuſtrious Patriots have immortalized themſelves already in their own native Country. The Names of FRANKLIN, DICKENSON, and many others, are already engraved in ſuch indelible Characters in the Book of Fame, that no Age, however remote, ſhall be ſilent in their Praiſe. Happy ſhould I be, could I but behold your Country in that the SPRING of its Greatneſs. I cannot help holding up to my Eyes an enchanting Proſpective with Regard to its future Grandeur. I imagine I ſee illuſtrious Stateſmen---eloquent Orators---wiſe Hiſtorians---and learned Philoſophers, riſing up among you, whoſe generous Souls have eſpouſed the Intereſts of Humanity, and are ſpreading the Bleſſings of Liberty throughout the World around them."

AUGUST 23.

Extract of a Letter from London, May 19.

"*As American Affairs are cloſed for this Seſſions of Parliament, I wiſh you ſhould have the earlieſt and moſt authentic Intelligence of their State.------Mr. Burke, at the Head of the Oppoſition, brought into the Houſe of Commons the Motions mentioned in the Votes, their Fate you will ſee; both Burke and Barre ſignalized themſelves, but what can Eloquence or Argument do againſt a corrupt Majority? Yeſterday the ſame Reſolutions, or nearly of the ſame Import, were brought into the Houſe of Lords by the Duke of Richmond, and ſupported by the Lords Rockingham, Temple, Shelburne, and Lyttleton.*

"*As Lord Hillſborough's Conduct in his Department for America was particularly aimed at, it behoved him to vindicate himſelf from the heavy Charges of Inconſiſtency, Abſurdity, and Malignity towards the Colonies, which his Antagoniſts contended, were clearly proved from his Letters to America, and the Speeches made by the Governors of Georgia, North Carolina, and Virginia, reſpecting the Repeal of the Duty-acts. That circumſtanced, Lord Hillſborough was obliged to enter into a particular Detail of his paſt Conduct, his Motives, Views and Intentions, both for the preſent and future, as far as he could now determine.---And as the Sentiments of this Lord may well be ſuppoſed to be thoſe of the Miniſtry, and the Reſult of the many Conferences, lately held, reſpecting America, I think the Communication of them cannot be too particular, or too univerſal.---He began, by declaring his Opinion, that he thought the Americans entitled to every Privilege of Engliſhmen, tho' bound in every Reſpect by the Acts of the Britiſh Legiſlature, and that he thoroughly agreed with the declaratory Law in that Reſpect.---that he was not preſent when the Stamp-act was repealed, and whatever his Opinion of the Expediency of that Law might be, he ſhould have ſpoke, voted and proteſted againſt the Repeal of it, as breaking that great Chain which binds this Country and the Colonies together; he then entered into the Conduct of the Americans, ſince the Impoſition of the Duties on Paper, Tea and Glaſs.---which he ſaid was highly approved by the Merchants of America, and, but for a few ſeditious Men, would never have been oppoſed---that it had been the Object of every Miniſter, ſince the Reign of Charles II. to endeavour to* ESTABLISH A CIVIL LIST IN AMERICA, INDEPENDENT OF THE ASSEMBLIES; *that* IT WAS HIS GREAT OBJECT; *and tho' the Duty Act was an anti-commercial One, and therefore proper to be repealed,* ſo far as regarded the Manufactures of Great-Britain, *yet he ſhould keep in View the* INDEPENDENCE OF THE CROWN INTEREST, *as the only one on which this Country could depend.*

"*He then expatiated on the encroaching Temper of the Americans, and read a Reſolution of the Town-Meeting of Boſton, that they were bound by no Laws, but where repreſented; he ſaid they had riſen from one Demand to another;---firſt, that the Act impoſing Duties on Paper, Glaſs, &c. ſhould be repealed; then, that all Acts raiſing a Revenue ſhould be repealed---and would never ſtop, till they could get rid of the Act of Navigation, which ſat ſo uneaſy on them, and then entirely rid themſelves of all Subjection to Great-Britain: That theſe deluſive ridiculous Hopes were created by Letters wrote from this Side the Water, the Writers of which were Traitors, and deſerved to be impeached; that the Miniſtry at no Time intended to repeal the whole Duty Act, though ſo many Letters to that Effect had been wrote;---that all the Combinations not to import Goods were idle, and he hoped the Merchants and Manufacturers of this Country had more Senſe and Virtue, than, for the Sake of ſhipping £. 20,000 worth of Goods, to give up for ever the* AUTHORITY *and* CONTROUL *of this Country*---That Patriotiſm would riſe to a certain Heighth, and continue a certain Time, but Intereſt would, in the End, overturn it---*that it already did ſo---Rhode-Iſland was running away with the Trade of New-England, and the Merchants in other Places were undermining one another, ſo that, with a little Patience, all theſe Combinations would diſſolve of themſelves.---As to his Letters, he was contented to take the whole Blame of having wrote them illy, if they were ſo; but that Diſſolution was the invariable Meaſure purſued, on the ill Conduct of Aſſemblies, of which he gave ſome Inſtances.---That as to the late Tranſaction at Boſton, he was not prepared to give any Opinion, till farther Advices came; but he moſt heartily pitied the Situation of a Soldier, if he muſt ſtand till he was beat to the Ground, without making any Reſiſtance.---That as to a Civil Magiſtracy, there was none---tho' it had been his Intention, previous to ſending the Troops, to bring in a Bill to remedy that defective Part of the Conſtitution, which made the Council of Boſton Creatures of the Aſſembly, the Juſtices Creatures of the Council, &c.---that as to a Miniſter's writing to America, that a Repeal of any Act would be recommended, it was what any Peer might do, and he ſaw no Impropriety in it.---That upon the whole, a* republican *Spirit prevailed through the Colonies, which every Adminiſtration muſt diſcourage---and as to his having no Plan with regard to America, he confeſſed he had none, but to maintain their conſtitutional Dependance, and the Authority of this Country,* in its fulleſt Extent. *---That with regard to ſending Troops to America, the King had a Right to ſend them to any Part of his Dominions.---As to the Inconſiſtency and Irreſolution of his Conduct, he ſaid nothing.---From this, which is almoſt a Tranſcript of his Speech, you may judge, what our unhappy Country is to expect from Adminiſtration.*

"*Lord Rockingham obſerved, that the Wealth of America ſhould flow through Trade---that he had rather ſee Half a Sum ariſe from the Induſtry of the Inhabitants, than the whole from Taxes.---In ſhort, my dear Sir, we have nothing to depend upon, but the Virtue and Reſolution of the collective Body of the People of America.----* The Merchants, I fear, begin to faulter, and every, even the ſlighteſt Inſtance of Uneaſineſs, is magnified to a prodigious Heighth.---*Our Patriotiſm and Virtue are treated with the utmoſt Contempt by the miniſterial Minions, while our few ſincere Friends are anxiouſly waiting to ſee how theſe Predictions are verified.---The Merchants and Manufacturers are amuſed with Expectations of our Inability to adhere to our Agreement, and preſſed moſt earneſtly to wait the Event. The Merchants of London think, that the Principle of Taxation belongs wholly to the Agents, and that, as the Application from the Colonies is not upon commercial Principles, they are excuſed ---while the Agents---but I forbear.*"

Extract of a Letter from London, June 11.

"*I agree with you, that our Parliament was wrong, in the firſt Place for paſſing that grievous Revenue-act, and alſo, when they found it grievous, not to repeal it totally; and the People on your Side, I think, were wrong, in prohibiting the Importation of Articles, on which there was no Duty; thoſe they could have ſupported; but, as many very juſtly obſerve, it is impoſſible for you to do without a great many Articles from hence, which the Miniſtry well knew, therefore were determined not to repeal the Act. If you had confined it to the Articles, the Duty was laid on only, I am inclinable to believe, it would have been repealed, as the Miniſtry well know you could have done without them; and, I am of Opinion, if you refrain ordering Tea, that the Duty will be taken off that Article.*"

Extract of a Letter from London.

"*Both at Home and Abroad we are in an embroiled Situation. The Miniſtry conſult not the Humours, nor, I fear, the Good of the People. Almoſt every Meaſure ſeems to betray a Diſpoſition to Violence and arbitrary Power. The Extenſion of the Duration of Parliaments to ſeven Years, tho' it fixed the preſent Family on the Throne, has been, I believe, one chief Means of throwing them ſo entirely into the Power of the Crown, as to endanger the Subverſion of that Balance in the Conſtitution, which our Forefathers ſtruggled hard to preſerve.*"

AUGUST 30.

Extract of a Letter from London, June 23.

"*The riſing of the Parliament without giving the expected Relief, left us here in a Kind of Suſpenſe, and turned our Eyes to the Conduct of the Americans. Many are the Predictions of the Enemies of America, that the Goods which had been ſhipped on Speculation to Boſton particularly would be received, and the Combination as it is termed be at an End. But a few Days ago the Boſton Ships returned with their Goods to the Surpriſe, Confuſion and Diſappointment of the Shippers, Manufacturers and Miniſtry. I never ſaw Chagrin and Vexation more viſible on the Faces of every Man who has the leaſt Connection with America, and is unfriendly to its preſent Plan of Oppoſition. Our Friends rejoiced openly over their Enemies, who on their Parts acknowledged that they had been utterly diſappointed. Should the Goods ſhipped to Virginia, alſo return, the Stroke would be compleat. Nothing has done the Cauſe of America ſo much Service as the Rejection of theſe Goods, many of them are yet on board the Veſſels, and cannot be landed without great Expence; one M'Hahy has £. 1000 Sterling Duties to pay on one of thoſe Veſſels only. It is now given out that the Duty on Tea will be taken off next Winter, and I doubt not it will. The Death of Mr. Beckford the Lord Mayor is a heavy Stroke to the Oppoſition, two Deaths are the Subject of ſo much Sorrow and Joy. In the Election of a Succeſſor as Lord Mayor and Alderman the Oppoſition carry every Thing by a great Majority. A few Deaths in the Court of Aldermen, will fix the whole City in the Anti-miniſterial Syſtem.*

"*I cannot find any two Perſons here who agree in Sentiment on the Influence of the Non-Importation, there ſeems to be ſome Secret which is yet impenetrable. The Manufacturers are employed, and though there are many Goods on board, there is no Complaint among them; various are the Conjectures on this Head, moſt probably it may be imputed to an increaſed Demand in many Articles from Abroad, but much more to Miniſterial Management and Application of public Money, in order to make a grand Experiment of our Virtue and Reſolution.*

"*The Struggle cannot now be long. The Iſſue will determine us either Slaves or Freemen. I hope no American will heſitate at the Choice.*"

Extract of a Letter from London, June 23.

"*You deſire me to ſend you the News of the Times, and my Reaſon for writing ſo little upon the Subject, is that one does not know what Intelligence to rely upon. It is a melancholy Fact however that our Patriotic Lord Mayor departed this Life a few Days ago. His Body muſt moulder in the Grave, but his noble Independency of Spirit, which led him to tell a* KING *the Truth, will never be forgotten by Engliſhmen.*"

Talbot County, Maryland, Auguſt 10, 1770.

THE Committee of Inſpection, together with a Number of the moſt reſpectable Inhabitants of this County, taking into Conſideration the late infamous Defection of a prevailing Faction in New-York, from their own Engagements reſpecting the Non-Importation of Goods from Great-Britain, and from the common Cauſe of America, do, in order to teſtify and publiſh to the World their Deteſtation and Abhorrence of ſo ſelfiſh and ſhameful a Procedure, enter into the following Reſolves.

I. RESOLVED, That the Non-Importation Agreement is a Meaſure well calculated to prevent Luxury, to promote Induſtry, and to procure a Redreſs of American Grievances, and that a firm and ſteady Adherence to it will, in all Probability, produce theſe ſalutary Effects.

II. RESOLVED, That the partial Repeal of the American Revenue-Act is rather a Banter on our Underſtanding, or a Trap to enſnare us, than an Argument to induce us to depart from the Non-Importing Scheme.

III. RESOLVED, That an Acquieſcence in the Act retaining the Duty on Tea, would be a tacit Acknowledgment of the Right of Parliament to tax the People of America, and would probably terminate in the abſolute Slavery of thoſe Colonies.

IV. RESOLVED, That to purſue and to promote the Happineſs of the Community, by making our own private Intereſt give Way to the public Advantage, is noble and honourable, and the Duty of every Friend and Lover of his Country.

V. RESOLVED, That the Conduct of a prevailing Faction in New-York, who, from a low and pitiful View of their own particular Intereſt, have violated their Engagements to their Country, Engagements entered into with Deliberation and Unanimity, is ſcandalous, ſordid, and infamous; as being manifeſtly founded in a vicious Selfiſhneſs, and tending to weaken the Union of the Colonies, to wound the public Character of America, to diſhearten its Friends, and to ſtrengthen the Hands of a corrupt and oppreſſive Miniſtry, the Enemy that threatens to make us lick the Duſt off their Feet.

VI. RESOLVED, That, as a Proof of our Deteſtation and Abhorrence of the Step lately taken by that prevailing Faction, we will renounce and break off all commercial Connection, Correſpondence, Dealings, or Intercourſe, with the Province of New-York, until they ſhall either retract their Error, or the Act, retaining the Duty on Tea, be repealed.------And we do moſt earneſtly invite, implore, and obteſt all the Friends of their Country, and of Liberty, by all that is valuable and dear to them, to continue firm in their Adherence to the Non-Importation Agreement, to break off and to deſiſt from all commercial Communication and Intercourſe with the People of New-York, and to ſtand determined to mark all falſe Brethren, and particular the wretched Authors of the preſent vile Defection, with Contempt and Diſgrace; that they may be branded as the Betrayers of their Country, be deſpiſed of the People, and become an Hiſſing among the Nations!

JOHN GORDON, CHAIRMAN.

WILLIAMSBURG, *(in Virginia)* AUGUST 2.

Mr. RIND,

Pleaſe to inſert the following Narrative of the Proceedings of the Committee of five *for Norfolk, in your Gazette, for the Information of all true Friends to American Liberty.*

THE Committee having, accidentally, diſcovered that Capt. Spier had landed his Goods at Norfolk, civilly waited on Meſſrs. William and John Brown, to whom the Captain was recommended, and aſked if they could give Intelligence of the Marks and Numbers, or any Thing whereby to diſtinguiſh them? Alſo, whether they had any Reaſon to believe ſuch Goods were landed? To which Queſtions Mr. John Brown anſwered in the Negative. Mr. William Brown, who was not preſent when his Brother anſwered, upon being applied to, evaded giving any direct Anſwer: The Committee then proceeded, in Company with the Occupiers, to examine ſeveral Stores; but at length, concluding that Mr. William Brown's Behaviour gave juſt Reaſon to ſuſpect that Houſe, it was reſolved to requeſt their Permiſſion for examining any Stores which might be occupied by them. The Committee waited again on Meſſ. Browns, and made their Requeſt; but were ſtill anſwered evaſively; till, at length, Mr. William Brown obſerved, that if the Captain had landed ſuch Goods, no doubt he had taken a Store for that Purpoſe; whereupon he was requeſted to anſwer, directly, whether he had the Key of ſuch Store? The Committee telling him at the ſame Time, that if he denied having it, they would be ſatisfied; but, that any Evaſion would be deemed a Confeſſion. Mr. William Brown, without anſwering directly, had offered to give up all the Keys which belonged to any Warehouſes in their Poſſeſſion: But, upon conferring with his Partner, they both reſolved upon giving no further Anſwer. The Committee now retired; and, while they were taking Notes of their Proceedings, Mr. William Brown preſented a Key, which he ſaid was delivered to him by Capt. Spier; adding, upon his Honour, that he had ſeen no Goods in the Warehouſe, nor had given Aſſiſtance in landing any from the Ship under Capt. Spier's Command. Some Converſation now paſſed, wherein Mr. Brown ſtrongly urged the Committee to take Key and Goods into immediate Cuſtody; and was anſwered, that their only Purpoſe was to look into the Warehouſe; being mildly intreated to open it, he abſolutely refuſed, or even accompanying them: But offered to deliver the Key, *if demanded.* Hereupon the Committee adjourned for a little Time; and again waiting on Meſſ. Browns, repeated their Requeſt; but were anſwered in the ſame Manner as before, Mr. William Brown frequently offering to deliver the Key, *if demanded,* declaring he knew not what the Store contained, and that he would not receive back the Key. Whereupon the Committee aſſembled ſeveral reſpectable Men-

chants, and, in their Presence, received it; and accompanied by them, proceeded to the Warehouse, where they found sundry Packages answering the Description of those imported in the Ship Sharp, so often mentioned in your Papers. After such Examination as convinced all present that they were the same, the Committee locked the Door; and, returning to Mess. Browns, offered the Key, which they refused accepting, the same Gentlemen still remaining in Company. Hereupon the Committee retired to a private Room, sealed up the Key, and committed their Transactions to Writing. What is further necessary to be done, relative to the Mess. Browns, Captain, or Goods, is submitted to the Consideration of the Virginia Associators. We are, Sir,

The COMMITTEE of FIVE for NORFOLK.

July 30, 1770.

KINGSTON, *(in Jamaica)* JUNE 9.

Last Sunday Evening between the Hours of Seven and Eight o'Clock, an Earthquake was felt in this Town, and in the Country adjacent; it was not preceded as is customary with a rumbling subterraneous Noise; its Motion was from North to South, and resembled the Waves of the Sea; it continued at least a Minute, causing to many People a swimming in the Head, and Sickness at the Stomach; no Damage is done that we hear of.

CHARLES-TOWN, SEPTEMBER 18.

BY Captain Mulford, from Wilmington, in North-Carolina, we learn, That the malignant Distemper, called a West-India Fever, which lately raged with Violence in that Town, and other Parts of the Province, of which many People died, was greatly abated, and that most of the sick Inhabitants were on the Recovery.

The Sloop Charming Polly, Erasmus Hansen, Master, of and from Cape-Fear for Philadelphia, put into this Port on Tuesday last, and sailed again on Sunday.

The Snow Carolina-Society, Patrick Bower, Master, belonging to this Port, is arrived at Georgia, from Bristol and Teneriff.

Mr. William Hort, is elected Librarian to the Charles-Town Library Society, in the Room of the late Mr. William Carwithen.

DIED.] Miss Elizabeth Moore, Daughter of John Moore, Esq; of St. Thomas's Parish.-----Mrs. Mary-Anne Luyten, Wife of Mr. William Luyten, Cabinet-maker.

Price of RICE 50s. per 100 lb.

September	CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.	*From*
12th.	Sloop Charming-Polly, Erasmus Hansen,	North-Carolina
13th.	Sloop Sapalo, James Aitkins,	Antigua
14th.	Schooner Defiance, Thomas Mulford,	North-Carolina
15th.	Schooner Mary-Ann, John Stuart,	New-Providence
17th.	Sloop Lark, Daniel Carthye,	Ditto
	Schooner Sally, Stephen Parkinson,	Jamaica
September	ENTRIES OUTWARD.	*For*
13th.	Sloop Sally, Purnell Johnson,	Philadelphia
14th.	Schooner Sally, Benjamin Knight,	Salem
	Schooner Betsey, Nathaniel Morgan,	Jamaica
17th.	Ship Charming-Sally, Peter Rainier,	London
	Schooner Sally, Stephen Parkinson,	Jamaica
	Brig Porgey, Jeremiah Bassett,	Ditto
	Ship Live-Oak, Andrew Lundberry,	St. Kitts
September	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	*For*
12th.	Schooner Elizabeth, Samuel Johnston,	Jamaica
15th.	Sloop Success, Samuel Bush,	Philadelphia
	Brig Hercules, John Hatter,	Dominica
	Schooner Spry, William Hatter,	Ditto

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Charles-Town, August 30, 1770.

THE GENERAL COMMITTEE acquaint the Public, That WILLIAM STUKES, a NON-SUBSCRIBER, opposite to Mr. *Jacob Warley*, Saddler, and Mr. *Michael Muckinfuss's*, in *King-street*, having been called upon by the Gentlemen appointed at the General Meeting of the Inhabitants, at LIBERTY-TREE, on the 24th Instant, they report, "That they have not only represented to him the "odious Light in which his Conduct appeared to the Peo-"ple, but also advised and admonished him; that they "went farther, and used Intreaties: But that he obstinately "and perversely refused to store or re-ship the four Hog-"sheads of Loaf-Sugar lately imported by him."

It is worthy of Notice, that the said *William Stukes*, is the only Non-Subscriber in Trade, that has thus imported contrary to the Sense of the People, since the *Resolutions* were first entered into—*which* forbid all Dealings with him by Subscribers.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given,

THAT the Subscribers, who are appointed Inquirers of the Public Tax, for the Parishes of St. Philip and St. Michael, in Charles-Town, purpose beginning their Inquiry on Monday the 8th Day of October next, and will call once on the several Inhabitants of the said Parishes, for their Returns on Oath, agreeable to the Directions of the Tax-Act.

HUGH RUTLEDGE,
JOHN SCOTT, jun.
WILLIAM DOUGHTY,
MAURICE SIMONS. } *Inquirers.*

To be SOLD at AUCTION,

At the usual Place in Charles-Town, on TUESDAY the 25th Instant;

Sixty Pieces of WHITE PLAINS,
Twenty Pieces of striped DUFFILS,
A Parcel of Plantation TOOLS, &c. &c.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

SELLING off at EIGHT for ONE CASH, by the Subscriber, at the Store in Tradd-street, lately occupied by WILLIAM BAKER, deceased; all the STOCK of GOODS assigned by the said WILLIAM BAKER, to WILLIAM BURROWS, and JOHN LLOYD. They consist of a great Variety, are in good Order, and have been lately imported.

WILLIAM AIR, Agent to the Assignees.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 880 acres, on Black-swamp, not inferior to any in the province for rice, corn, or indico, and convenient to two landings; it may be made as good a rice-plantation as any in the province, it being part of a tract of land formerly belonging to the estate of *James St. John*, Esq; deceased. Any person inclinable to purchase the said tract, may apply to me at my plantation at Poopon, near Jacksonburgh.

ALEXANDER FITZGERARD.

☞ All Persons indebted for this GAZETTE, for more than one Year, are desired to make immediate Payment.

DANCING and FENCING.

PIKE's

DANCING and FENCING SCHOOLS,

WAS OPENED,

On MONDAY the 17th of SEPTEMBER Instant; DANCING on Thursdays and Saturdays—FENCING every Morning from five to nine:—Ladies and Gentlemen may be waited upon at their own Houses, as he proposes teaching COTILLONS in the newest Taste.

Gentlemen privately instructed in Dancing, every Evening in the Week, at his School opposite *John Izard*, Esq.

George-Town, September 1, 1770.

THE Subscriber having suffered greatly by the Lenity he has shewn to his Debtors, for some Years past, is now under the most pressing Necessity of closing all his Concerns in Trade this Winter; therefore informs all Persons indebted to him by Bond, Note, or Book Account, that unless Payment be made, or otherwise settled to his Satisfaction, by the first Day of November next, they may expect, and will assuredly be obliged to settle with an Attorney at Law, in whose Hands the whole will be lodged, with Directions to use the most expeditious Means to bring them to a Close, of which no farther Notice will be given.

JOSEPH DUBOURDIEU.

THOMAS FELL, TAYLOR,

In ELLIOTT-STREET,

RETURNS his hearty Thanks to his Friends for their past Favours, and hopes for a Continuance of the same, as they may depend on having their Work done in the genteelest Manner, and with Dispatch.

☞ He is in want of two NEGRO MEN TAYLORS, for whom the highest Wages will be given.

TO BE SOLD,

On the 28th of this Instant, September,

SUNDRY ARTICLES, useful in a SCHOOL, as Tables, Forms, Matrasses, Blankets, &c. &c.

The House I now live in to be let immediately, being a very airy convenient one, in *Church-street*. Enquire of

MARY STOKES.

N. B. A Parcel of different sorts of PAINTINGS to be sold, at the same Time.

☞ SCHOOL continued as usual.

George-Town, August 28, 1770.

UPON comparing the Returns made to the Vestry and Church Wardens, by the Collectors of the Poor-Tax, for the Parish of Prince George, Winyaw, with the General Tax List, it appears that Numbers of Persons possessed of Estates in the said Parish, Residents as well as Non Residents, have neglected to pay their several Proportions of the said Tax, and that for several Years past; by which Means the Church-Wardens are seldom refunded the Expences they are at in supporting the Poor, and the Tax is unequally collected, to the Prejudice of those who are punctual in their Payments: THIS IS THEREFORE to inform such Defaulters, that unless Payment is made of the Arrears by the first Day of November next, Executions will be issued against all such as neglect this Advertisement, without Favour, Partiality, or other Notice.

JOSEPH BROWN, THOMAS WILSON, } Wardens.

SAMUEL WRAGG,
JOB ROTHMAHLER,
WILLIAM FYFFE,
PETER LESESNE,
SAMUEL SMITH,
BENJAMIN TRAPIER,
JOSEPH DUBOURDIEU, } Vestry.

NOTICE is hereby given, to all Persons liable to work on the public Roads, in St. Stephen's Parish, that they are required to give in upon Oath, an Account of all their Male Slaves, from the Age of 16 to 60 Years, to either of the Commissioners; or Executions will be granted against all Defaulters, after the first Monday in November ensuing.

CHARLES RICHBOURG, Clerk.

WANTED for a Plantation, on Charles-Town Neck, GOOD MOWERS, either white or black; good Wages and Usage will be given. For further Particulars, enquire of the Printer.

Any Person having low Price HORSES to dispose of, may enquire as above.

JUST IMPORTED in the Sloop Sally, *Captain* Johnson, *from* PHILADELPHIA,

BARSHEAR PLOWS compleat, Winnowing Fans to shift Rice in rainy Weather, or when there is no Wind, Horse Collars, Men and Womens Saddles, Saddle Trees ditto, Flax Spinning Wheels, falling Axes, *Dutch* Scythes, good fine Salt, and a light handy Cart. The above Articles are to be sold CHEAP, at my House the Upper End of *King-street*.

JONAS BEARD.

To be SOLD, at PRIVATE SALE,

A Plantation or Tract of LAND, on the East Branch of Saltketcher River, in St. Bartholomew's Parish, containing 1000 Acres, butting and bounding on Lands of Thomas Ferguson, Esq; it appears by a Survey lately made, that there is about 600 Acres of the 1000 prime Rice Land; there is 70 Acres of the Swamp Land cleared, and will be fit for planting the next Crop; also 40 Acres of the High Land cleared and under good Fence: There has been a sufficient Quantity of Provisions raised at the above Plantation this Season, to be a plenty to serve 30 or 40 Hands the next Year, with some Seed Rice, and Potatoe Seed, which will be disposed of to the Purchaser, if agreeable; there is on said Plantation a very good Barn, on Sills 40 by 20 Feet, an Overseer's House, Negro Houses, &c. For further Particulars, apply at the Horse-Shoe, to

THOMAS JONES, sen.

ANY Person in want of a WET-NURSE, in good Health, that has plenty of Milk, and a very good Character, may be supplied by applying to the Printer.

The Co-PARTNERSHIP of

COGDELL & FORDYCE,

EXPIRED with the Month of August last, and there being a Necessity for the settling that Concern, this is to desire all those that are indebted to them, to discharge the same immediately, to enable them to discharge their own Contracts.

The Subscriber returns Thanks to the former Friends of COGDELL & FORDYCE, who were pleased to favour them with their Business, and as he proposes to carry on the

FACTORAGE BUSINESS,

in his own Name, begs a Continuance of their Favours to him, as they may depend on his doing all in his Power for the good of their Interest.

WHO HAS FOR SALE.

A few Hogsheads of West-India RUM, fit for present use, a few Barrels of TRAIN OIL, a new CABLE, about three Dozen of SADD IRONS, and about 400 Bushels of ROUGH RICE; which will be sold *cheap* for CASH.

September 17, 1770. JOHN COGDELL.

FOUND ADRIFT about ten days ago,

A CANOE, 20 feet long, 3 and a half wide, rows with four oars. The owner may have her again, paying for this advertisement, and giving a small reward to the negro that found her, by applying to the printer.

N. B. A PEW to be let in the *New-Church*.

RUN-AWAY on Monday the 3d instant, a country born negro fellow, named BALIPHO, 20 years of age, about 5 feet 9 inches high, very active and artful; he carried with him an old black princess stuff coat, a white round robin, bound round the edges with blue, a pair of osnabrugs breeches, and a good blue boys coat, bound round the collar and cuffs with livery lace, and lined with shalloon, which he was seen to wear on *Ashley River* road, on the day of his elopement, though it is every way too small for him: He has been seen about *Ashley-ferry*, and went from thence for *Goose-Creek*, where he has relations at Mr. *James Coachman's*, and on the estate of Mr. *William Coachman*: He has a mother named *Lucy*, at Mr. *Knighton's* plantation, *Beach-Hill*. Whoever delivers him to the warden of the work-house, or to the subscriber, shall receive a reward of TEN POUNDS, if a white person, or FIVE POUNDS if a negro.

September 17, 1770. JOHN THOMAS.

N. B. If any person can prove who wrote him the ticket which he shews, or that he is harboured by any white person, he shall receive an additional reward of TWENTY POUNDS, or TEN if by a negro, on conviction of the offender.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, about the middle of July last, a MUSTEE FELLOW, named ABRAHAM, formerly the property of Eleanor Muncrief; he is about five feet ten inches high, plays very well on the fiddle, and is well known in Charles-Town and Goose-Creek. Whoever apprehends the said fellow, and delivers him to the warden of the Work-house in Charles-Town, or to me at Goose-Creek, shall receive TEN POUNDS reward; and whoever can prove his being harboured by any person, shall receive FIVE POUNDS reward, from

theif. PETER TAMPLET.

RUN-AWAY from the Subscriber at Ponpon, last Sunday evening, a NEGRO FELLOW, named POMPEY, by trade a carpenter, an artful, sensible fellow, very much pitted with the small-pox, and was formerly the property of Mr. *John Webb*, Merchant; he is well known in Charles-Town, where it is supposed he is harboured, as he was seen on his way to town; had on when he went away a jacket and pair of trowsers of blue plains, and a speckled shirt. Whoever will deliver the said fellow to the warden of the work-house in Charles-Town, or to the subscriber at Ponpon, shall receive a reward of FIVE POUNDS.

September 8, 1770. JOSEPH BEE.

Black Mingo, August 20, 1770.

WILLIAM COCKFIELD, *of Lynch's-Creek, tells a GRAY HORSE flea-bitten about the head, 13 hands high, about 10 years old, branded on the off thigh something like* J *with a fleur-de-luce above.*

ISAAC CARTER, *of said place, a GRAY HORSE, 12 hands three inches high, a natural pacer, branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock something like* AM.

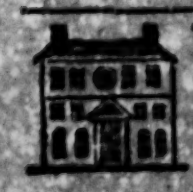
JOHN DEHAY, *also of the aforesaid place, a flea-bitten GRAY MARE, 13 hands and an half high, branded on the mounting shoulder* W *with a stroke across, on the mounting thigh the same, but upside down, and on the off buttock and shoulder like* Y, *appears to be old; with a grey two year old horse, that sucks her, neither docked, nor branded.*

ALEXANDER SCOTT, *of Lynch's-Laque, a GRAY HORSE, 13 hands and an half high, a trotter, 5 years old, branded on the off buttock with an obscure brand, somewhat resembling a horse shoe.*

JOHN BURNS, *of Black-River, a BROWN BAY MARE, 13 hands and an half high, about 8 or 9 years old, a trotter, with a star and snip, branded on the mounting buttock* m, *and has some obscure mark on her mounting shoulder.*

Whoever owns all or either of the above Strays, may prove their property before

SAMUEL NESMITH, J. P.



TO BE LET, and entered on immediately,

THE House in Tradd-street, wherein Mr. JOHN BENFIELD lately lived, being compleatly fitted, and well situated for a Store. Enquire of

THOMAS GRIMBALL, jun.

George-Town, September 6, 1770.

MR. PAUL JOUDON, of Prince George's parish, near Santee, has a SORREL MARE, about 13 and an half hands high, a trotter, age unknown, but appears young, branded on the off shoulder A Z, with a blotch in the upper part of the A, the near hind foot white; having strayed into his plantation. The owner to prove his or her property before JOSEPH DUBOURDIEU.

RECESS SOCIETY.

A Quarterly Meeting of the RECESS SOCIETY, will be held on TUESDAY the 15th Inſtant, preciſely at Seven o'Clock in the Evening, at the Houſe of Mr. *William Hilday*, on the Bay; where the Members are particularly requeſted to give their Attendance, as there will be Buſineſs of Conſequence, relative to the Society, then laid before them.

WE the Subſcribers, being appointed Commiſſioners for the building of a CHAPEL OF EASE, on Edisto Iſland; the Walls to be of Tabby Work, agreeable to a Plan to be ſeen in our Hands;—give this public Notice, to any Perſon willing to undertake the building the Walls, or the Wooden Work, or both, that they deliver in their Propoſals, on or before the 15th Day of October next.

JOSEPH SEABROOK,
JOSEPH FICKLING,
BENJAMIN JENKINS,
JOHN SEABROOK,
CHRISTOPHER JENKINS.

THE LANDS of Stephen Drayton, as formerly advertiſed in Mr. Wells's Paper, *Will be SOLD, at the uſual Place in Charles Town, on* THURSDAY *the 27th Inſtant.*—A Survey and Diviſion of the Whole may be ſeen in the Hands of

September 7, 1770. ROBERT WELLS.

TO BE SOLD,

A Small SCHOONER, that carries 60 Barrels of Rice, and draws only four and an half Feet Water when loaded, being three Years old, is well timbered, and in good Order; late the Property of Mrs. Wragg, deceaſed. Whoever is inclined to purchaſe the ſaid Schooner, may apply to

CROSS & CALVERT.

TAKEN up adrift, on Wedneſday the 29th of Auguſt, a CANOE, rows with four Oars, 23 Feet 8 Inches long, 3 Feet 6 Inches wide, has a Hole in her Main thaught for a Maſt, and a Ring and Bolt in her Bow. The Owner may have her again, by paying for this Advertiſement, giving a ſmall Reward to the Perſon who took her up, and applying to THOMAS BUTLER, Overſeer at Thomas Lamboll, Eſq's Plantation on James-Iſland.

To be SOLD, at Dorcheſter, on Wedneſday the 19th Inſt.
WITHOUT RESERVE,

THE following NEGROES, under Mortgage to the Subſcribers,—a NEGRO BOY, two WENCHES, and two CHILDREN.

WILLIAM SANDERS.
WILLIAM DEWIT.

THE Subſcriber takes this Method to inform the Public, That he has opened a SHOE-WAREHOUSE, next Door to Mr. *Motte's* Back-ſtore, and nearly oppoſite Mr. *Prioleau's*, in Tradd-ſtreet;—He will keep a *GOOD SUPPLY* of SHOES, BOOTS, &c. which he will ſell for *Caſh*. His Motive for adopting this Plan, is to ſave the Trouble (which is very great) of collecting ſmall Debts; and hopes thoſe indebted to him, will diſcharge their Accounts as ſoon as poſſible.

PATRICK HINDS.

For PHILADELPHIA,
The SLOOP
SALLY,
PURNELL JOHNSON, Maſter.
(Will ſail on Wedneſday the 19th Inſtant)
FOR Freight or Paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter, or
DANIEL & ISAAC BOURDEAUX.

WILLIAM MAWHINNY, of Charles-Town, informs me of a large black and white STEER, has no viſible Brand, having ſtrayed into his Plantation on Aſhley-River. The Owner may prove his or her Property before

JOHN NEVIN.

Charles-Town, September 7, 1770.

MR. ALLGERNON WILSON, informs me of a bright bay GELDING, about 12 and an half hands high, about 8 years old, with a ſtar in his forehead, and branded on the buttock ſomething like B7 joining.——Alſo of a brindled COW, with her horns cut, and three under half pennies in the right ear, and an underckeel in the left.——And alſo of a bay HORSE, about 4 years old, neither marked nor branded; having all ſtrayed into his plantation at Stono. The owner or owners muſt prove their property before

JOHN TROUP.

Charles-Town, Auguſt 29, 1770.

THE Reverend Mr. PANTING, upon his Appointment to the Rectory of the Pariſh of St. Andrew, has ſignified to the Commiſſioners of the Provincial Free-School, his Intention to reſign the Place of Head Maſter. Any Perſon well qualified, and deſirous of ſucceeding him, may apply to the Honourable WILLIAM BULL, Eſquire, Preſident.

LEASES and Releaſes, Blank Bonds, Bonds with Warrants to confeſs Judgment, Mortgages, Copies of Writs, Bills of Sale, Powers of Attorney, Servants and Apprentices Indentures, Bills of Lading, Indico Certificates of both Kinds, Shipping Papers, Warrants and Executions for ſmall Debts, Recognizance for the Peace, Writs of Fieri Facias, in Actions of Debt, and on the Caſe, Capias in Debt, ditto in Caſe, and ſundry other Blanks, to be ſold by Charles Crouch, at his Printing-Office in Elliott-ſtreet.

MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS,
HAVE IMPORTED,
In the Charming Sally, *Capt.* Duncan, *from* LONDON,
WHITE PLAINS,
Full YARD-WIDE, and were bought with CASH of the Makers in *Wales*.——ALSO,
Blue and green PLAINS, as low as 9s. per Yard: Which, with Eight Day Clocks, Smoak Jacks, handſome large Pier Glaſſes, with carved and gilt Frames, Stuffs, and Yarn Hoſe for Negroes Wear; and what other Goods they have on Hand, conſiſting of moſt GENERAL ARTICLES, they will ſell very *cheap*, eſpecially for Caſh, at their Store in Tradd-ſtreet.

☞ Any Perſon in want of an Engliſh STALLION, of the *Race Breed*—a Northward GELDING, 15 Hands high, that paces and trots—a very compleat Saddle HORSE, or a NEGRO FELLOW, that has been uſed to the Field, may be ſupplied by applying as above.

WANTED ON HIRE,

A Sprighly NEGRO BOY, who has been uſed to wait on a Gentleman, and attend at Table. Enquire of the Printer.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from Mr. *James Fitch's* plantation, at *Stono*, about a month ago, a bright bay GELDING, a trotter, 5 years old, was lately broke to a chair, 13 hands 3 inches high, with a large blaze down his face, branded IS, on the jaw and near buttock, the near fore foot and the off hind foot white. Whoever takes up the ſaid gelding, and delivers him at the above plantation, or to the ſubſcriber in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have a reward of FIVE POUNDS, and all reaſonable charges paid.

GEORGE PARKER.

ANDREW LORD,
Has imported in the St. Helena, George Arthar, *Maſter, from* BRISTOL,
WHITE and blue PLAINS, bought for ready Money of the Manufacturers, ſtriped DUFFILS, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 20d NAILS, together with ſundry other Articles agreeable to the Reſolutions, which he will ſell on very moderate Terms, and take Rice in Payment.

JAMEISON, SIMONS, & Co.
Have juſt imported in the ST. HELENA, *Captain* ARTHAR, *from* BRISTOL,
A QUANTITY of white, blue, and green PLAINS, of an extraordinary Width and Quality.

ALSO,

In the Snow POLLY, *Captain* RAINIER, *and Ship* LONDON, *Captain* CURLING, *from* LONDON,
BEST London DUFFILS, a Parcel of very neat FOWLING PIECES, low-priced Iriſh Linens, and a complete Aſſortment of ſuch other GOODS, as are allowed by the *Reſolutions*: Which, with the Stock of Goods on Hand, and a neat aſſorted Stock of Goods they have lately purchaſed from Meſſrs. JOHN WOODBERRY, & Co. makes their Stock of Goods as completely aſſorted as the preſent Times will admit of. Which, with old Jamaica and Weſt-India RUM, Madera Wine, Muſcovado and Loaf Sugar, Coffee, &c. they will ſell very reaſonable, at their Store on the BAY; and aſſure their Friends, their Orders ſhall be executed with the greateſt Care and Punctuality.

WHITE and coloured PLAINS, of an extraordinary Width and Quality, bought from the MANUFACTURERS at *Shrewſbury*, with CASH, and to be ſold very reaſonable; with an ASSORTMENT of other GOODS, uſually imported, at their Store in *Church-ſtreet*, the Corner of *Elliott-ſtreet*.

PARKER & HUTCHINGS.

N. B. BUTTER in Firkins, from 50 to 100lb. neat, equal to freſh Butter, alſo, about 100 Kegs of inferior ditto, Hogs Lard, TALLOW, Carolina, Philadelphia, and New-York FLOUR, freſh Ship BREAD, and CABBIN ditto, Kenton's Porter in Bottles, Salad Oil in quart Bottles, at 9*l.* 10*ſ.* per Dozen, beſt white Wine Vinegar in Jugs, a few Dozen of very old London Madera Wine, warranted good, old JAMAICA RUM, fit for preſent uſe, WEST-INDIA, and NORTHWARD ditto, Muſcovado and Loaf Sugar, about 20 Hogſheads of TOBACCO, equal in quality to Virginia Tobacco, HEMP, COTTON, FLAX, and FLAX SEED, Engliſh BARLEY, DEER SKINS, Lintſeed, Train and Lamp OIL, Window Glaſs, and Paints, Engliſh and German Steel, BAR IRON, Ploughſhare Moulds, fine and courſe SALT, &c.

Alſo, a great Variety of neat Patterns of PAPER HANGINGS, to be ſold cheap, for READY MONEY.

Imported in the St. Helena, *Captain* Arthar, *from* Briſtol,
WHITE Negro CLOTH, bought from the MANUFACTURERS, in and about SHREWSBURY, and to be ſold at NINE for ONE, at JOHN DAVIES's Store, in BRADON's Alley.

JOHN BOOTH,
The Corner of Beadon's-Alley, in ELLIOTT-STREET,
INTENDING for England in the Spring, will ſell off the Remainder of his GOODS, at Nine for One CASH, or SHORT CREDIT, conſiſting of ſundry Articles uſually imported, as per his former Advertiſements.

Alſo, two or three Bales of White PLAINS, and ſtriped Duffil BLANKETS, very good, and will be ſold at Eight and an Half for One. 6w.

A Large Aſſortment of white PLAINS, to be ſold at EIGHT and a HALF for ONE. Alſo, a Quantity of London SAIL CLOTH, very cheap, by

PHILIP HAWKINS, & Co.

For SALE by private Contract,

A Very valuable LOT of LAND, ſituated in King-ſtreet, oppoſite to Mr. BENJAMIN ROBERTS, fronting on ſaid Street, 115 Feet in Front, and 250 Feet in Depth. For further Particulars, enquire of

JAMES McCALL.

TO BE SOLD on *reaſonable Terms*, by the Subſcribers, Owners of the Stock of CATTLE, late McKewn's, on Cooſawhatchie, COWS and CALVES, or COWS and STEERS for Beef or Stall-feeding.

Wanted immediately, to take Care of the above Stock, an honeſt, active, and ſober Man, well acquainted with the Management of a Cowpen, who can be well recommended; for whoſe Services an Allowance of £. 250 per Annum will be made.

RICHARD BERESFORD.
JOHN HUNT.
6w. THOMAS HOLMAN.

THREE or four Gentlemen, may be accommodated with Board and Lodging, by applying to

8w. PAUL PORCHER.

TO BE SOLD or LEASED,
In ſmall Tracts, and on reaſonable Terms;

TWO Baronies of Land, one on the head of *Black* River, the other on the north ſide of *Pedee* River, adjoining to Catfiſh Creek, both in Craven county, the property of *Nicholas Linwood*, and *William Baker*, Eſqrs. of London. The aforeſaid Baronies contain large tracts of exceedingly fine Oak and Hickory Swamp and Marſh Lands, extremely proper for the culture of Rice, Corn, Indico, Wheat, Hemp, and every other article to which the climate is adapted. The Plats may be ſeen in the hands of Mr. *James Thompſon*, deputy ſurveyor.

ALSO,

ABOUT twelve thouſand Acres of Land, on the head of Combahee-river, known by the name of *Salkehatchee* Barony, the property of the gentlemen above mentioned: The ſwamp on this Barony, is allowed to be exceeding fine, there is a ſufficiency of very good high land on each ſide, proper for Corn and Indico, on which commodious Settlements may be made.

LIKEWISE,

A Part of the Barony in Granville county, known by the name of *Jaſper's Barony*, adjoining lands of Colonel Heyward, and other ſettlements on the Euhaws. The plat is to be ſeen in the hands of Mr. William Maine.

Credit will be given for the above lands, the purchaſers paying intereſt from the day of ſale, and giving approved ſecurity.

PAUL TRAPIER, DAVID DEAS, JOHN DEAS, } Attornies for *Nicholas Linwood*, and *William Baker*, Eſqrs.

THE Co-partnerſhip of ISAAC MOTTE, & Co. being expired, all Perſons indebted thereto, are requeſted to pay or ſettle the ſame immediately with the Subſcriber, who carries on the Buſineſs in his own Name alone, and will be obliged to his Friends for a Continuance of their Favours.

6w. ISAAC MOTTE.

GEORGE FLAGG,

RETURNS his ſincere Thanks to his Friends and Cuſtomers for their Favours, and hopes for a Continuance of them; he humbly begs they will be kind enough to pay off their laſt Year's Accounts, to enable him to carry on his Buſineſs, as there is no poſſibility of carrying it on without Money.

☞ He has for SALE, a Quantity of SPERMACETI OIL, TRAIN OIL, and OIL OF TAR, Wholeſale or Retail, at his Old Shop on the Bay.

Charles-Town, July 10, 1770.

RUN AWAY on *Tueſday* the 13th of *February*, 1770, an Apprentice Lad, named LEWIS HILL, by Trade a Sadler, and is about 17 Years of Age: Had on when he went away a Fuſtian Coat, Nankeen Jacket and Breeches. It is ſuppoſed he was inticed away by his Brother *Burly Hill*, of *Black-River*, as he was ſeen on the Road with him the ſame Night he went off. A Reward of TEN POUNDS Currency, will be paid to any Perſon who takes up the ſaid Apprentice, and ſecures him in the Work-houſe: And a further Reward of TWENTY POUNDS Currency, will be given to any one that can prove his being harboured by the ſaid *Burly Hill*, or any other Perſon, as I am determined to proſecute them to the utmoſt Rigour of the Law.

WILLIAM EDWARDS.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels and others, are deſired not to take him off the Province, as they will anſwer it at their Peril.

TO BE SOLD CHEAP, FOR NO FAULT,

A Healthy, young, Country born WENCH, with her young Child, who has been uſed to the Country.—She can cook and waſh very well, and will be warranted ſober and honeſt. Enquire of the Printer.

A Freſh Supply of EDWARD JOYCE's famous AMERICAN BALSAM, which has proved ſerviceable in moſt of the Diſorders mentioned in the Directions, is juſt received, and to be ſold by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet.

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ALEXANDER GILLON,

INTENDING FOR EUROPE SOON, Will diſpoſe of at his STORE *in Broad-ſtreet,*

A GREAT VARIETY OF

ENGLISH and DUTCH GOODS,

(LATELY IMPORTED HERE)

At nine for one ready money, or merchantable produce at market price, among which are,

WARDROBER and garlix hollands from 18s. to 54s. per yard, ditto and Ruſſia ſheeting from 13s. 6d. to 36s. per yard, coarſe white linens of different breadths from 3s. 9d. to 11s. 3d. per yard, oznabrugs from 2s. 3d. to 4s. 6d. per yard, ſtriped hollands and ginghams, handkerchiefs of all ſorts, long, clear, and ſtriped lawns, and cambricks, 3-4 and yard-wide bolting cloths of all ſorts, and very handſome ſtrong pavilion gauzes, black and white blond lace, and a variety of handſome ribbons, artificial flowers, damaſk table cloths and napkins, napkining diaper, German bed tick of different breadths, printed cottons and callicoes, very beautiful cotton bed patterns, with proper linings and trimmings, Merſhilles bed quilts, Ruſſia canvas, broad Flemiſh ditto.

Linſeed oil at 20s. 3d. per the gallon, by the caſk of 40 gallons, and 22s. 6d. by the ſingle gallon, beſt vermillion at 36s. lb. brimſtone at 6l. 6s. per ct. 3 gallon ſtone jugs at 7l. 8s. 6d. per dozen, two gallon ditto at 5l. 17s. per dozen, one and half gallon ditto at 3l. 3s. per dozen, delph butter ſtands with plates, cloſe ſtools at 36s. each, Dutch red hearth tiles, 9 inches ſquare, at 2s. 3d. each, by the quantity, chimney tiles, Dutch klinkers, empty caſes from 4 and an half to 33 gallons, bottles for ditto, trap bird cages that ſet themſelves, breeding and common ditto, Cologne 4 feet blue mill-ſtones at 100l. per pair, houſe mats, pipe baſkets, wooden ſhoes, marble images, Dutch hand carts and bakers waggons, French horns, looking glaſſes, purple and white wampum, beſt oil flints at 4l. 10s. per m. window glaſs 8 by 10 at 16l. 13s. per box, 12 by 10 at 20l. 15s. per box, yellow oker and red lead, 4d nails at 15s. per m. 6d ditto at 22s. 6d. per m. 8d. ditto at 30s. per m. 10d ditto at 34s. 6d. per m. 20d ditto at 51s. 9d. per m. all ſorts of ſpikes at 2s. 6d. per lb. iron pots, very good bohea tea at 17s. 6d. per lb. black pepper at 12s. 6d. per lb. ſpices, &c. ſquare and flat bar iron of all ſizes, plough-ſhares at 6l. per ct.——Rum, ſalt at 10s. per buſhel, ſingle refined loaf ſugar at 5s. 6d. per lb. double refined ditto at 6s. 3d. per lb. Rheniſh Wine from 5l. 15s. to 8l. per dozen, Sletzer water in jugs, Carolina ſhip bread, butter in kegs of different ſizes, hemp, deer-ſkins, tallow, and beeswax.

☞ Five year old Vidonia WINE for exportation.

ANDREW LORD,

Has for SALE, at his Store on the Bay,

A Quantity of good bottled BEER, a few Bales of OZNABURGS, and Trunks of Iriſh LINEN and GARLIX aſſorted, about ten Bales of STROUDS; which he will ſell by the Package very Cheap for Caſh, or Bills of Exchange.

N. B. Any of the above Articles may be bartered for Deer Skins, at the Market Price.

THOSE who have any Demands againſt the Eſtate of BENJAMIN SMITH, Eſquire, deceaſed, are deſired immediately to make them known to us; and all Perſons that are indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to diſcharge the ſame by the 20th Day of October next.

THOMAS SMITH,
ISAAC MOTTE, } Executors.

☞ *Call on Thomas Smith.*

WEBB & DOUGHTY,

Have juſt imported in the Ship Nancy, *Captain* Jordan, *from* LONDON,

THEIR Supply of white and coloured PLAINS, which are of a good Width and Quality; and will be ſold exceeding reaſonable at their Store near the new Exchange, on the Bay.

N. B. At the above Store may be had, a neat London made eight Inch CABLE, at *Coſt* and *Charges*—☞ For CASH ONLY.

WILLIAM SYKES,

HAS FOR SALE,

JUST IMPORTED from PHILADELPHIA,

BEST ſuperfine FLOUR in Barrels, Half Barrels and Kegs, Milk, Water and Butter BISCUIT, LOAF SUGAR, GIN in Caſes, high Proof Jamaica and Philadelphia RUM, BAR IRON, a Variety of WINDSOR CHAIRS, bottled BEER, and CHERRY RUM, with ſundry other Articles as uſual.

GEORGE THOMSON,

Has imported in the Ship Charming Sally, *Captain* Duncan, *from* LONDON,

A Good Aſſortment of white and coloured PLAINS, beſt London DUFFILS, &c. and ſundry other Articles the RESOLUTIONS allow to be imported: Which, with his former Stock of Goods, he will diſpoſe of reaſonably at his Store in Tradd-ſtreet.

N. B. Some Caſks of ſorted NAILS, to be ſold cheap for CASH.

JUST IMPORTED in the Sloop William & Mary, *from* BOSTON, *and to be SOLD*

By ALDEN BASS,

At Store No. 3, on Col. Beale's Wharf,

NEW-ENGLAND RUM—MOLASSES—BROWN SUGAR—choice SPERMACÆTI CANDLES—CHOCOLATE——TRAIN OIL——MACKREL——WOODEN WARE——YELLOW OAKER, &c. very cheap for Caſh.

TO BE LET,

THE Back Store and Cellar in Gadſden's-Alley, lately occupied by Meſſrs. Harvey & Baty; and the Front Store and Cellar of the Houſe I now live in, lately occupied by Mr. David Dott, Merchant. Apply to

CHARLES CROUCH.

CARNE & POINSETT,

Have imported in the MERMAID, *Captain* BALL, *from* LONDON,

A Large and compleat ASSORTMENT of DRUGS and MEDICINES.—Among which are all the Family Medicines uſually imported into this Province. Theſe, with the Stock already on Hand, they will ſell at the moſt reaſonable Rates Articles of that ſort can poſſibly be afforded, at their Shop in *Elliott-Street*, facing *Bedon's-Alley*.

N. B. Boxes of Medicines, for Plantations and Ships, made up on the ſhorteſt Notice.

TO BE SOLD CHEAP, for Caſh or ſhort Credit, the undermentioned ARTICLES, belonging to the Eſtate of THOMAS GADSDEN, Eſq; *deceaſed;*

TWO BOWDEN's Patent Machines, a Horſe Flat, a large Pettiauger, and five Goats. The above to be ſeen at Mrs. *Gadſden's* Plantation, on *Charles-Town* Neck.

ALSO,

A Lot of LAND, in ANSONBOROUGH.

LIKEWISE,

Eight French Chairs, two Sofas, and three Curtains of Crimſon Silk Damaſk, to be ſeen at Mrs. *Gadſden's* Houſe on the Bay. And a good dry CELLAR to be let. For further Particulars, enquire of

JAMES GADSDEN,
ANDREW RUTLEDGE, } Executors.

To be LEASED,

FOR SEVEN YEARS,

MRS. GADSDEN's PLANTATION,

(About a Mile from Charles-Town)

VERY pleaſantly ſituated on *Aſhley-River*, and at a very convenient Diſtance to tend the Market with Garden-Stuff, Milk, and other Articles.—The Leſſee may have it with, or without, an ISLAND, lately joined thereto by a very ſubſtantial Dam; which Dam, and another very ſhort one, leading from ſaid Iſland through Mr. ELLIOTT's Land into the Broad-Road, he will be required to keep in Repair, and leave in as good Order as he finds them. For further Particulars, enquire of

JAMES GADSDEN,
AND
ANDREW RUTLEDGE.

Imported in the Prince of Wales, *Captain* Maſon, *from PHILADELPHIA, and to be SOLD*

By THOMAS SHUTE,

At his Store the Corner of Elliott-ſtreet, on the Bay,

SUPERFINE Flour, Ship Bread, Pilot ditto, Milk, Butter, and Water Bread in Kegs, Loaf Sugar, freſh Chocolate, Muſtard, Oat Meal, Flour of Ginger, bottled Beer and Cyder packed in Caſks, Cyder Royal in Half Barrels, Linſeed Oil, Cherries preſerved for making Cherry Bounce in ſmall Caſks, Vinegar by the Gallon or Keg, Iron Dutch Ovens, Bake Pans, Tea Kettles, Mortars and Peſtles, Skellets, Saſh Weights for Windows, ſmall Pots, Bar Iron, Plow ſhare Moulds, &c. Earthen Ware in Crates and Barrels, Riding Chairs, Chair Harneſs, Horſe Collars, a neat Phæton, with Harneſs compleat for two Horſes, Spining Wheels for Flax and Cotton, Men and Women's Shoes, German-Town Stockings, a few Barrels of Apples, &c. &c.——N. B. Good FINE SALT in Barrels.

AN EVENING SCHOOL,

WAS OPENED,

At the Subſcriber's Houſe, in GADSDEN'S-ALLEY,

On MONDAY the 3d of September Inſt.

Where Youth may be qualified for Buſineſs, by

WILLIAM HUTCHINS.

TAKEN from a Negro early on Sunday Morning laſt, about 35 Yards of WHITE NEGRO CLOTH, which it is ſuppoſed he had ſtolen. The Owner may have it, by paying for this Advertiſement, giving a ſmall Reward to the Perſon who ſtopt it, and applying to the Printer hereof.

LOST laſt Friday Afternoon, between Mr. Greenſword's and the Town Gate, a RED MOROCCO POCKET BOOK, with a Silver Lock, containing a few Surgeons Inſtruments, an Aſs-ſkin Memorandum Book, a few Papers, of no Conſequence to any but the Owner, and ſome ſmall Money. Whoever has found and will deliver it to the Printer hereof, ſhall receive TWO DOLLARS Reward, over and above whatever Money it contained. *Auguſt* 27, 1770.

WANTED,

ON HIRE, OR TO PURCHASE,

AN healthy NEGRO FELLOW, than can cook, and is handy about a Houſe: Alſo a good Houſe WENCH, by

JOHN SAVAGE.

WANTED,

BOARDING and LODGING for a Gentleman, in a private Family.—Whoever may be diſpoſed to accommodate him, may hear of the Party, by applying to the Printer of this Paper.

Brought to the WORK-HOUSE.

May 19, 1769. A mulatto fellow, calls himſelf *James*, ſays he was born in Jamaica, and belonged to Mrs. *Bonner*, ſhe dying, Mr. *Gibbes*, merchant, took him, and he believes ſold him to one Captain *Saunder*, he dying on his paſſage to *Liverpool*, imagined himſelf free, as no one claimed him, ſhipped himſelf on board the Brig *Gambia*, Captain *Hudſon*, bound for the river *Gambia*, and continued twenty two months there, but on Captain *Davis*'s arrival ſhipped himſelf with him for *South-Carolina*; he is five feet five inches high, ſtrait limbed, pitted with the ſmall pox, and has a cut over his right eye. Taken up by one Mr. *Hughes*, as Mr. *Gibbes*'s property in *Jamaica*; but ſince has received the affidavits of Mr. *Palmer*, and Mr. *Philip Gibbes*, that the ſaid *James* is the property of Captain *Simple*, who uſed *Jamaica* from *London*.

November 7, 1769. A new negro fellow, of the *Kiſſey* country, calls himſelf *Pompey*, but cannot or will not tell his maſter's name; he is 5 feet 5 inches high, yelloviſh complexion, full faced, his country marks on his forehead, a cut on his noſe, ears bored, wants two teeth in his upper jaw, alſo wants a piece of his thumb on his left hand; has on an old white negro cloth jacket, check ſhirt, and crocus breeches. Taken up near Mr. *Webb's* plantation, *Congarees*.

June 21, 1770. A new negro fellow, cannot tell his own nor maſter's name, neither his country; he is 5 feet 3 inches high, thin viſage, his country marks down each ſide his face, wants a fore tooth in his lower jaw, has a long ſcar on his left arm from his ſhoulder downwards; has on an old white negro cloth coat and trowſers. Taken up at Mr. *Benjamin Stiles's* plantation, *Tugaloo*.

July 19, 1770. An Indian fellow, calls himſelf *Saw*, was taken up by one *William Mallet*, at *George-Town*, who ſays the ſaid Indian belongs to *Thomas Matthews*, near *Croſs-Creek*, *North-Carolina*; he is 5 feet 3 inches high, well ſet, ſtrait limbed, ſays he was born in the *Spaniſh Weſt-Indies*, and was decoyed away from his maſter by two white men, who left him at *George-Town*, where the ſaid *Mallet* found him, and brought to *Charles-Town*.

September 4, 1770. A new negro fellow calls himſelf *Tom*, but cannot tell his maſter's name, nor his country; he is five feet five inches high, red eyed, ears bored, a wart upon his chin, and a cut on his left arm; has on two old white negro cloth jackets. Taken up at Mr. *Frederick Grimke's* plantation, *Stono*.

September 13, 1770. A new negro fellow, calls himſelf *Jupiter*, but cannot tell his maſter's name, nor his country; he is five feet ten inches high, thin viſage, ears bored, wants a tooth forward below, long beard, a lump like a large wart on his left breaſt, ſtrait limbed; has on an old white negro cloth jacket and breeches. Taken up at the *Great Cypreſs*, 20 miles the other ſide of *Dorcheſter*.

JOHN BROWN, WARDEN.

ANNE GRIMBALL,

TAKES this Method to inform the Public in general, and her Friends in particular, that ſhe has this Day opened SCHOOL, in a pleaſant and airy Part of the Town, where ſhe now lives, on White Point; and propoſes to teach Reading and Needle-Work. Thoſe who pleaſe to favour her with the Tuition of their Children, may depend on her beſt Endeavours to give Satisfaction.

N. B. She would take a few Children as Boarders.

Charles-Town, Auguſt 27, 1770.

To be SOLD for Caſh, or on ſhort Credit; or Produce will be taken in Payment,

A Compleat COPPER STILL, WORM, and every Apparatus, that will hold 90 Gallons, of the London make. Enquire of the Printer.

TO BE LET,

A Commodious ſmall TENEMENT, in Guignard ſtreet, next Door to the Rev. Mr. Panting, and at preſent occupied by Mr. Proffer. Enquire of

ISAAC MOTTE.

EDWARD WALLACE, informs me of a GRAY GELDING, about 14 hands high, branded on the mounting buttock WP in one, having ſtrayed into his paſture on Charles-Town Neck, near Mr. Cochran's ſhipyard. The owner may prove his property before

Auguſt 23, 1770. WILLIAM MASON, J. P.

TO BE SOLD,

THE pleaſant, well ſituated HOUSE, belonging to the eſtate of FRANCIS PERRY, deceaſed, on Charles-Town Neck, now in the tenure of Mr. *William Wagner*, being oppoſite to New-Market Courſe. Whoever are inclined to purchaſe the ſame, may apply to

JOHN MARLEY.

Goose-Creek, Auguſt 16, 1770.

I am informed of a dark bay pacing GELDING, appears to be 12 or 13 years old, about 14 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder D, on the mounting buttock R S, and on the off ſhoulder with an obſcure brand, has a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, and white feet. The owner muſt prove his property before

HENRY SMITH.

SEBASTIAN KING, brought before me a ſun-burned GELDING, about 13 hands high, with many ſaddle ſpots on his back, appears to be old, and is branded on the mounting ſhoulder B, on the off ſhoulder F, and a blotch'd heart. The owner to prove his property within the time preſcribed by law, before

Auguſt 4, 1770. PHILIP SMITH.

STRAYED or ſtolen from the ſubſcriber, a ROAN HORSE, branded on the mounting ſhoulder A and buttock R K, with a half bow mane, and ſwitch tail, trots, paces, and canters. Whoever takes up the ſaid horſe, and delivers him to me in St. Thomas's pariſh, ſhall have TWO DOLLARS reward. FRANCIS ROCHE.

ISAAC MOTTE,

INTENDING TO DECLINE TRADE,

WILL SELL OFF,

His VALUABLE *and* WELL-ASSORTED

STOCK OF GOODS,

All mine for ONE CASH:—*Among which are the following,*

WHITE, blue, green, and drab coloured PLAINS, duffil and bed blankets, flannels and swanskin, men, women, and boys coarse and fine worsted and yarn hose, silk, cotton, and thread ditto, womens scarlet cloaks and cardinals, fashionable bread cloths, with proper trimmings, Irish linens, cambricks, plain, flowered, and spotted muslin, great variety of worked ditto, for ladies gowns and aprons, plain and figured huck ditto, damask and diaper table cloths, and napkins, huckaback, Ruffia sheeting and towelling, fashionable plain and flowered silks, one piece of beautiful painted gauze, plain and flowered sattins, English and India persians, coloured silk petticoats, satin and brocade pumps, great choice of low priced India chints, printed callicoes, cottons, and linens, very handsome bed patterns, ladies sailor-gauze, coloured gauze for ditto, Brussels, minionet, and blond lace, ornamental and useful china, glass and stone ware, workmen and plantation tools of every kind, several boxes of tin, variety of saddlery, cutlery, and ironmongery, tanned sheep skins, a neat small fire engine at *seven* for *one*, Dutch London cordage, at 10*l.* per ct. sail cloth from No. 1 to 8, *straight for one.*

Any person taking the whole shall have them a great bargain. tbctf.

THE Subscriber hereby acquaints the Public in general, and his Friends in particular, that he keeps an *Office*, where Merchants and Tradesmen may have their Books regulated by the Month; and whenever needful, ballanced and closed: Likewise opened properly for those commencing any Kind of Business; and superintended with the utmost Confidence.——Partnerships Accounts, and Accounts of Ships, Planters, or Executors, &c. properly scrutinized, and accurately adjusted—Those apprehensive of a Failure or Litigation at Law, in Respect to Embarrasment in their Affairs, may (it is more than probable) meet with a happy Prevention, through timely applying to the Advertiser; who will, with the utmost Secrecy and Dispatch, endeavour to give a pleasing Satisfaction, and encourage the Public to apply to their *Most obedient Servant,*

JACOB VALK.

Corner of Murray's Bridge, near the Fortifications.

JOHN GILES,

Has imported in the Charming Sally, *Captain* Duncan, *from* LONDON, *and to be sold on very reasonable terms,*

WHITE and coloured PLAINS, best London DUFFILS, cambrugs, neat fowling pieces, Crowley's best broad hoes, falling axes, and sundry other articles, usually imported at this season of the year, and *agreeable to the Resolutions*; with his stock of DRY GOODS on hand, among which are many scarce and useful articles, viz.——A chest of the very best flavoured HYSON TEA, lately opened, at 5*l.* 25*s.* per lb. neat and fashionable patterns of bed curtains, a large assortment of 7-8 and yard-wide Irish and Scotch linens, from 11*s.* 3*d.* to 45*s.* per yard, neat gown patterns, worsted damasks, calamancoes and tammies, coarse and superfine fashionable broad cloths, shalloons, and trimmings, wiltons, German serge, Bath coating, cotton stripes and checks, long pipes, Oronoco and Rogers's best tobacco, &c. &c.—He likewise has for sale, very best Madera and other WINES, spirituous Liquors of all kinds, old and genuine, a few large rum casks, salt, iron, butter, and flour from the back settlements, and many other articles too tedious to mention here.

Superfine FLOUR in whole and half barrels, water, milk, and butter bread in kegs, just arrived in the Brig Prince of Wales, Captain Mason, from *Philadelphia.*

N. B. The height of market price given for COUNTRY PRODUCE, and taken in all payments.

MRS. THOMSON,

(Opposite to Mr. JOHN M'CALL's, in Tradd-street)

Regularly bred to the MILINARY BUSINESS at HOME, *has commenced it here; and has at present on Hand,*

A NEAT ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

IN THAT WAY:

SHE proposes more particularly to carry on that Branch of making up of Ladies Head-Dresses, Stomachers, &c. washing, raising, mending, and *fine joining* Flanders, Mecklins, and Brussels Lace, and hopes to give Satisfaction to those who are pleased to employ her.

WHEREAS information has been made to me, by the sundry persons hereafter named, of the following STRAYS, viz.

By *Joseph Holland*, of a GRAY MARE, with a dark mane and tail, about 12 and an half hands high, branded on the near buttock something like ∞, and on the off buttock E.

By *Alexander Cole*, of a BAY GELDING, with a small star in his forehead, 13 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder WL in one.

By *James Johnston*, of a dark red and white STEER, 3 years old, neither marked or branded, rangeing with his cattle, four miles above the Warhees on Peedee.

By *Richard Cone*, of a BLACK HORSE, 12 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder BK, on the near buttock OM, and on the off buttock T⌐ joining.

By *Abel Waddell*, of a WHITE FLEA-BITTEN MARE, 13 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder T, and on the thigh X, and about 12 years old; she has a gray horse COLT with her, about 2 years old, undock'd and branded.

By *William White*, of a YELLOW BAY HORSE, with a blaze in his face, paces a travelling gait, about 13 hands high, branded W on the near shoulder, about 8 years old.

By *Reuben White*, of a BRINDLE PIDED STEER, branded D, with a fleur-de-lace above, marked with a fork in the left ear, and an under slope in the right ear; one ditto with the aforesaid brand and mark, likewise branded S W; one ditto with the same mark, but no brand.

The owners of the above strays, must prove their property before

August 1, 1770. ROBERT WEAVER.

LODGING and BOARD, for a single GENTLEMAN. Also convenient Room for two more BOARDERS. Enquire of

JAMES KING.

ROBERT WILSON,

Has imported in the Nancy, Capt. Jordan, *from* LONDON,

A Large and compleat Assortment of DRUGS, CHEMICAL, GALENICAL, and FAMILY MEDICINES, SURGEONS INSTRUMENTS, *&c. &c.* which will be sold on the most reasonable Terms, at the old Shop near the Vendue-House, on the Bay.

HENRY RUGELEY,

Has imported in the Ship Charming Sally, *Captain* Duncan, *from* LONDON,

A Large Quantity of Watchet PLAINS, white, blue, and green NEGRO CLOTH, with sundry other Articles, which he will dispose of on very reasonable Terms, at his Store the Corner of Church and Tradd-streets.

☞ Very good German Osnabrugs, at 3*s.* per Yard.

TO BE SOLD,

On Thursday the 27th of September Instant, at the usual Place in Charles-Town,

A BOND of JOHN HAMILTON, Esq; deceased, to GEORGE HUNTER, Esq; deceased, for the penal Sum of *Six Hundred Pounds*, good and lawful Money of Great-Britain, with Judgement for the same, and Damages, filed December 10, 1755.

ROBERT BRISBANE, Administrator.

TO BE SOLD,

A LOT of LAND, in the Upper-End of King-street, joining Mrs. Clifford; the Front Part containing 46 Feet, and the Depth 230 Feet. Enquire of

JACOB WILLEMAN, *in Charles-Town.*

LITTLE or no Regard being paid to my former Advertisements, requesting all Persons indebted to me to make Payment: This is for the last Time to give Notice to all such, that I expect they will pay off or settle their respective Accounts by the 25th of November next, as no farther Indulgence can or will be given.

ANDREW TAYLOR.

IT being absolutely necessary to bring the Affairs of the late WILLIAM WILLIAMS, of Charles-Town, Taylor, deceased; as also those of WILLIAMS & PROCTOR, to a Conclusion, in Order to satisfy their Creditors: This is therefore to acquaint whom it may concern, that as Mr. *Charles Atkins*, one of the Executors of said WILLIAM WILLIAMS, is gone off the Province, and the Subscriber, the other Executor, resides in the Country, he has placed the Bonds, Notes, and Accounts due to the said WILLIAM WILLIAMS, and WILLIAMS & PROCTOR, in the Hands of *William Burrows*, Esq; with Directions to sue all such, who shall neglect to pay their respective Debts within one Month from the Date hereof.

September 1, 1770. SOLOMON FREER.

RUN-AWAY with on the 2d instant, from Sullivan's-Island, a SAILING BOAT, called the Sally, with her sails, &c. lately belonging to Mr. CORNELIUS DEWES, but now to the subscriber; she is 23 feet long, and very near 8 feet wide, has a new main-mast, made of spruce pine, her fore-mast old, but of the same wood, the main-thaught one solid piece of cedar, white upper works, and black bottom. Whoever takes up and secures the thief or thieves, and delivers the boat to the subscriber at the Pest-House, on Sullivan's-Island, shall be handsomely rewarded for their trouble.

THOMAS ROBINSON.

Goose-Creek, September 1, 1770.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber's plantation at Back-River, on the 31st of August last, two young NEGRO FELLOWS, lately belonged to Mr. *Bulloch*, of Georgia, and sold in Charles-Town by Roger Pinckney, Esq; named APRIL and PRINCE:—APRIL is about 25 years old, pretty black, has a scar on one of his arms, where he was burnt when young:—PRINCE is about 17 years old; both very likely——As I judge they will be making for Georgia, hope those who keep Ferries to the southward, will not let any negroes pass without examining them. Whoever will deliver them either to my overseer at St. George's, near Bacon's-bridge, or Back-River plantation, shall receive TEN POUNDS reward, and all reasonable charges, from

HENRY SMITH.

RUN-AWAY about the middle of May last, a negro man named SIRRAH, of the Guinea country, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, of a pretty black complexion, speaks tolerable English, not very thick, supposed to be between 30 and 40 years old: A negro woman named MOLLY, also of the Guinea country, supposed to be near 40 years of age, of a middle size, and speaks English: A negro man named GLASGOW, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, a well made fellow, has a place on his head like a kind of a spot without hair, and a large scar on his belly, both which are apprehended have proceeded from a burn, speaks English but poorly, with a squeaking voice in common, is of the Ebo country; the two last have lived in Christ-Church parish before I bought them, and may be gone there, but expect the fellows are some where in St. Thomas's parish, (as they lived with me there till I left it) or about Charles-Town, as they were used to go to market, and made acquaintance there.——Whoever takes up any or all of the above SLAVES, and delivers them to the warden of the Work-house in Charles-Town, or to me at Furmania, near the High-hills of Santee, in Craven county, shall receive TEN POUNDS currency reward for each, and reasonable charges.

September 3, 1770. WOOD FURMAN.

ALL Persons indebted to the late Co-partnerships of BRAILSFORD & CHAPMAN, and JOHN CHAPMAN, and Company, are requested to make immediate Payment, as the Death of Mr. Chapman makes it necessary to settle those Concerns without Delay.

THOMAS BEE,

Attorney for Samuel Brailsford, surviving Copartner.

TO BE SOLD,

A Young Country-born Negro WENCH, with her first Child, two Years old, and is now pregnant; she is an extraordinary good Washer and Ironer, can cook, sews very well, and sold for no Fault. Enquire of the Printer.

WILLIAM LOOCOCK,

Has imported in the last vessels from LONDON,

A Compleat and general assortment of chymical, galenical preparations and drugs, with almost every family medicine now in use, among which are, the famous essence of JOHNSON or TURPETH ROOT, being a native of the remote parts of this province, and which is the most certain, easy and effectual medicine ever found in all venereal cases. Fifteen drops being taken morning and evening, in a glass of water or any thing convenient, will most effectually rout that disorder in a few days, and never leave any gleet or weeping after it, which is too often the case: It is likewise a most effectual medicine in all rhumatic complaints, leprosy, scurvy, old sores or ulcers, nay even in all chronical disorders; it will cure the yaws effectually in a few days; and will be sold on the most reasonable terms at his MEDICINAL WARE-HOUSE, in Broad-street.

SAMUEL BURN, Saddler,

DESIRES all those indebted to him to the first of January last, to discharge their respective Debts, or they may expect to find their Accounts in the Hands of an Attorney at Law, by the beginning of next Month, to be immediately sued for.

Charles-Town, August 28, 1770.

STRAYED from the yard of WILLIAM CREIGHTON, at the Crost-keys in King-street, about 2 months ago, a flea-bitten gray MARE, about 14 hands high, nine years old, branded on the mounting shoulder GJ, and has the mark of a wolf bite, on her mounting buttock, near her tail. Whoever delivers her to said WILLIAM CREIGHTON, or to PETER HORN, at Stono ferry, shall receive FIVE POUNDS reward.

STOLEN from my Landing, about the first of June last, a CYPRESS CANOE, about 18 Feet long, and three Feet and an half wide, rows with four Oars; has a Chain to her, a Piece in her Stem, and another in her Stern, with a black Bottom, and is painted red within. Whoever will deliver her to me at Bear-Bluff, shall receive TWO DOLLARS reward, from

WILLIAM SMELIE.

Charles-Town, July 28, 1770.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, living in *Granville County*, in the province of *South-Carolina*, or supposed to be enticed away or stolen by some villain or villains, on or about the second of *July*, 1770, A likely, young, black negro man, named JAMES, and sometimes calls himself JAMES RIVERS, *Maryland* born, between 22 and 23 years old, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, has a high forehead, a pleasant countenance, is very sensible and smart, also very handy about business, his hands and feet are very large, particularly the last, and a little bulging where the hollow part should be, he has a small waist, is remarkable for chewing his tongue when in a hurry about piddling jobs, and wore his beard on his cheek like wiskers, but that and his name he may alter. Whoever apprehends the said negro man *James*, and delivers him at my plantation on *Savannah River*, at *Matthews's Bluff*, shall receive a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS currency, and all reasonable expences and mileage paid; or whoever can give certain information where he is harboured, so that he may be had, shall receive TWENTY POUNDS currency reward.----A farther reward of ONE HUNDRED and FIFTY POUNDS currency, will be paid to any person, who can prove that the said negro was enticed away or stolen by a white person, on conviction of the offender.----All masters of vessels are forewarned from carrying off the said negro, as they will answer it at their peril. BARTLETT BROWN.

WHEREAS one WILLIAM SOMMERFIELD, alias SAMUEL SOMMERALL, late of the neighbourhood of Augusta, having brought FOUR HORSES before me, to prove his property, in order to enable him the better to dispose of them in the lower settlements, who being interrogated as to his right in them, shewed his guilt of having stolen them, by his running off on foot, and leaving the Horses.

The following description of them may enable the owner or owners to recover his or their property, by proving the same, before WILLIAM SWINTON.

A sorrel GELDING, 13 and an half hands high, seven years old, branded on the mounting shoulder GG, and on the mounting buttock IM, with an heart above, and has a long snip down his face.

A brown bay GELDING, 13 hands high, 9 years old, branded on the off shoulder 2K.

A gray GELDING, 13 and an half hands high, 9 years old, branded on the off buttock as with the bottom of a flat stirrup iron.

A brown bay MARE, appears to be aged, branded JT on the mounting shoulder, and on the left cheek JT in one, and about 13 hands high.

The following STRAYS were brought before me to be tolled.

By Mr. JOHN LAMBERT, a brown bay GELDING, 13 hands high, 5 years old, branded on the off shoulder something resembling two OC joining, has lost the sight of his left eye.

By Mr. WILLIAM SHANDLE, overseer for Mr. John Waring, a sorrel GELDING, about 12 years old, 13 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting buttock and shoulder 11.

A Brown bay horse, about 14 hands high, branded on each shoulder thus ⓘ, both hind feet white, in care of Robert Cahusac.

A black natural pacing mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting buttock J, in the care of Charles Richbourgh.

A red steer, with a crop and slit in one ear, the other with a hole in it, that looks as if it was torn out, has no perceivable brand, in the care of Gabriel Gignilliat.

A brindled bull, five years old, both ears cropt and slitted, no brand perceivable, in care of David Palmer.

A light coloured bay horse, 13 hands and an half high, branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock IC in one, in care of William Flint.

Whoever owns any or all of the above strays, must prove their property before

July 31, 1770. JOHN PAMOR.